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| Date of Sailing | Steamers. | Tons. | Connecting at Aden with | Tons. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
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| 19th " | Salsette | 6000 | Mongolia | 10000 |
| 26th " 1915. | Caledonia | 8000 | ---- | ---- |
| 2nd January | Salsette | 6000 | Malwa | 11000 |
| 9th " | India | 8000 | ---- | ---- |
| 16th " | Salsette | 6000 | Morea | 11000 |
| 23rd " | Arabia | 8000 | ---- | ---- |
| 30th " | Salsette | 6000 | Maloja | 12500 |
| 6th February | Kaisar-i-Hind | 11500 | ---- | ---- |

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|---|---|---|---|---|
| Jiyesn Maru. | T. Terada. | 3785 | 29th. Nov. | 11th. Dec. |
| Wakasa Maru. | K. Itanno. | 6265 | 1st Dec. | 13th. Dec. |
| Gokoku Maru. | O. Sakamoto. | 4709 | 13th. Dec. | 25th. Dec. |
| Tsushima Maru. | ---- | 6712 | 16th. Dec. | 21st. Dec. |
| SakushimaMaru | Naguchi. | 4543 | 30th. Dec. | 11th.Jan.15 |

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| Steamer. | Tons. | Leave Karachi about. |
|---|---|---|
| S. S. City of York | 7,834 | 3rd Dec. |

SPRING SAILINGS 1915.

| Steamers. | Tons. | Leave Karachi about. | Leave Bombay about. |
|---|---|---|---|
| City of Paris | 9,239 | 20th March | 22nd March |
| City of Cairo | ... | 10th April | 12th April |
| City of Karachi | 5,573 | ... | 30th April |

| FARES. | 1st class Singles | 1st class Returns | 2nd class Singles. | 2nd class Return. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| | Rs. | Rs. | Rs. | Rs. |
| Marseilles | 578 | 891 | 429 | 649 |
| London via Marseilles | 653 | 1,091 | 489 | 889 |
| Liverpool | 605 | 957 | 463 | 784 |
| London via Marseilles out from Liverpool | ... | 992 | ... | 737 |

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|---|---|
| CAPITAL SUBSCRIBED | Rs. 1,00,00,000 |
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| RESERVE FUND | Rs. 5,00,000 |

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|---|---|---|---|
| S.S. Scindia | 5106 | Wm. Kelso | th Nov 1914 |

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|---|---|---|---|
| S.S. "Massilia" | 5,091 | J. Thompson | 1st Feb. 1915 |
| S.S. "Olympia" | 5,124 | J. L. Henderson | 15th Feb. 1915 |
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Apply:
COWPER & COMPANY, Opticians,
Next to Fort Fire Brigade
4526 Station, Hornby Road.

CARLTON HOTEL, Outram Road, Fort, Bombay—The only residential hotel reserved exclusively for Europeans.

A few single rooms are now available.

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Telephone No. 2550. 416

## NOTICES.

I CE.

NOTICE is hereby given that GAISUKHLAL PREMJI of Bombay Hindu Inhabitant has contracted to sell to VALUBAI widow and ADMINISTRATRIX of the estate of GAITHA NURSI the property described in the schedule hereunder written.

All persons having any claim against the said property by way of gift sale lease, lien mortgage inheritance or otherwise howsoever must make the same known in writing to the undersigned the purchaser at her house at Memon Wada within fourteen days from the date hereof after which time the sale will be completed without reference to such claim.

SCHEDULE.

All that piece or parcel of Fazendari land or ground situate on the Western side of Nagdavi Street in the City of Bombay together with messuage tenement or dwelling house standing thereon containing by admeasurement 108 square yards or thereabouts and situate within the Registration Sub-district of Bombay bearing New Survey No. 2636 and assessed by the Assessor and Collector of Municipal rates and taxes under B Ward No. 268 Street No. 294-296 and bounded on the East by the sweeper's passage and beyond that property of Dharmdas Devidas on the North by a common sweeper's passage and beyond that property of Virgi Nathu and on the South by the common sweeper's passage and beyond that property of Escofally Rahimbhoy and in the occupation of the Vendor and his tenants.

The O mark of VALUBAI
widow and Administratrix of the estate of GAITHA NURSI.

Memon Wada House No. 156 to 166. Bombay 4572

### NOTICE.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT, SURAT.

In the matter of the INDIAN BOBBIN MANUFACTURING CO., LTD., in liquidation under the Indian Companies' Act No. VII of 1913.

Mis Application No. 70 of 1914.

PITAMBER PANAJI .....Applicant.

IS hereby given that under orders passed by the District Judge, Surat, on 6th November, 1914, the mill premises of the Indian Bobbin Manufacturing Co., Ltd., (now in liquidation) with all its machinery situate at Varachha Road, Surat will be sold by public auction at 12 noon on the 5th December 1914, in accordance with conditions of sale approved by the District Judge.

The conditions of sale will be read at the time of the auction sale.

The Company's premises and machinery will be open for inspection by the intending purchasers between the hours of 12 and 4 p.m., from the 23rd November 1914, Surat, Nanpura Road.

7th November 1914.
(Sd.) C. M. GANDHI,
Official Liquidator.
The Indian Bobbin Manufacturing Co., Ltd., (in liquidation). 4370

### BOMBAY MUNICIPALITY.

NOTICE.

THE WATER SUPPLY to the City may possibly have to be curtailed on Sunday and Monday the 6th and 7th proximo, on account of closing down the Tansa main during the work of diverting the same over the new G. I. P. Railway Bridge at Ghatkoper. The work is expected to be completed within 18 hours from noon on 6th proximo.

By order of the Municipal Commissioner for the City of Bombay,

H. J. TRIVESS SMITH,
M.I.C.E., M.I.M.E.,
Hydraulic Engineer.

Bombay, 30th November, 1914. 4573

## NOTICES.

### WESTERN INDIA TURF CLUB.

BOMBAY RACING SEASON, 1914-15.

THE BOMBAY RACING SEASON will consist of 18 days, commencing on Saturday, 19th December, 1914, and ending on Saturday, 20th March, 1915.

Extra Meetings, 13 days, and Bombay Races, 5 days.

SEASON TICKETS.

Season Tickets and Books of Coupons will be issued at the following rates:—

Whole Season, 18 days racing.

Members of the Turf Club ..... Rs. 50 each.
Non-Members of the Turf Club Rs. 60 each.
Ladies ..... Rs. 20 each.

To Members of the Turf Club a ticket will be issued, to Non-Members of the Turf Club a book containing Coupons for each day.

Season Tickets and Books of Coupons are not transferable.

Ladies' Tickets are not available for Children No Tickets or Books of Coupons will be issued without payment.

Season Tickets and Books of Coupons may be had only on application to:—

The Secretary, W. I. T. C., Byculla, Bombay.

DAY TICKETS.

The rates of admission are as follows:—

FIRST ENCLOSURE.

BOMBAY EXTRA MEETINGS.

| | Rs. a. |
|---|---|
| Gentleman ... ... ... | 5 0 |
| Lady ... ... ... ... | 2 0 |

BOMBAY RACES.

| | Rs. a. |
|---|---|
| Gentleman ... ... ... | 6 0 |
| Lady ... ... ... ... | 3 0 |

SECOND ENCLOSURE.

BOMBAY EXTRA MEETINGS.

| | Rs. a. |
|---|---|
| Gentleman ... ... ... | 1 8 |
| Lady ... ... ... ... | 1 0 |

BOMBAY RACES.

| | Rs. a. |
|---|---|
| Gentleman ... ... ... | 1 8 |
| Lady ... ... ... ... | 1 0 |

N.B.—All Tickets of admission and Books of Coupons are subject to the Rules and Regulations of the Western India Turf Club.
Day Tickets will be sold at the Gates only.

J. E. HUGHES, Major,
Secretary, Western India Turf Club.
Bombay, 15th November, 1914.

### NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

S.S. JINSEN MARU having arrived on the 29th November from JAPAN via Hongkong, Singapore, and Colombo, the CONSIGNEES of her CARGO are requested to send in their Bills of Lading to this Office for counter-signature without delay. No survey will be held on cargo damaged or in doubtful condition unless a written application for such survey is received by the undersigned within ten days after the steamer's arrival. Capt. J. C. Richards of Messrs. Ericson and Richards, Company's surveyor will be attending Docks every morning to survey damages. Cargo removed from the Landing Shed or warehoused is not entitled to the survey. The BILLS for CLAIMS are to be sent into this Office within one month from the date of steamer's arrival otherwise they will not be entertained.

MANAGER,
181 Nippon Yusen Kaisha.

### NOTICE.

MR. EDWARD LOCK, late partner and Joint Manager of Messrs. GERRARD LOCK & Co. LTD., Designers and Manufacturers of Interior Woodwork etc., Mazagaon, Bombay, begs to inform the public that he has severed his connection with the above Firm as from November 30th 1914.

EDWARD LOCK.
Dantra House, Apollo Bunder, Bombay. 4580

## AUCTION SALE.

MEHTA & CO.

On Government & G. I. P. Railway Lists.
No. 63 Meadows Street, Fort, Bombay.

Telephone No. 1285.

AUCTION SALE OF SHARES OF THE JOST FANS SUPPLYING AND ENGINEERING Co., Ltd.

THIS DAY TUESDAY, the 1st December, at 2-30 p.m. (S.T.), Messrs. MEHTA and Co., Auctioneers, will under instructions from the Bank concerned and on account and at the risk of the Mortgagor Mr. Vithaldas Premji Parekh, sell by Public Auction, at the Share Broker's Hall at Share Bazar, Fort.

110 Fully paid-up shares of the Jost Fans Supplying and Engineering Co., Ltd., of the face value of Rs. 100 each.

4 shares of the Jost Fans Supplying and Engineering Co., Ltd., of the face value of Rs. 50 each.

AUCTION SALE OF 30 BALES GREY AND BLEACHED TOWELS MANUFACTURED IN THE MORARJI GOCULDAS MILLS.

On SATURDAY, the 12th December, at 3 p.m., (B. T.), Messrs. MEHTA & COMPANY, Auctioneers, will under instructions from the Agents Morarji Goculdas Spinning and Weaving Co., Ltd., and on account and at the risk of Bohra Abdulali Hyderalli Malbari, sell by public Auchtion at the shop of the said mills at Morarji Goculdas market.

14 Bales each 50 doz. Grey Towels No. 1100 36 by 72 inches 7 lbs.
9 Bales each 50 doz. Bleached Towels No. 1200 40 by 80 inches (size of Grey goods) 8 lbs.
7 Bales each 50 doz. Grey Towels No. 1200, 40 by 80 inches 8 lbs.

MEHTA & Co.
Auctioneers.
Bombay, 1st December, 1914.

## AUCTION SALE.

BENNETT & CO.

NO. 22, APOLLO STREET, FORT.

AUCTION SALE OF HORSES AND CARRIAGES.

THIS-DAY TUESDAY, the 1st December, at 3-30 p.m. (S. T.) Messrs. BENNETT and Co., will sell by Public Auction, at Nancy Kheraj's Stable, Wadi Bunder, Mazagon by order of the owner—

4 victorias and 8 horses and sets of harnesses etc.

A deposit of 50 per cent. will be required at the time of sale.

On THURSDAY, the 3rd instant, at 2-30 p.m., (S.T.), Messrs. BENNETT and Co. will sell by Public Auction, at the Wellington Mews, Wodehouse Road, Colaba the valuable and handsome teakwood and blackwood plain and carved household furniture, rich glass and crockeryware, best platedware, sliding dining table, arm and without arm chairs large sideboard and dumbwaiters, drawing room suite, drwing room cabinates, single and double glass door almyrahs, old bronze figures and ornaments, rich pictures and oleographs, dressing chest of drawers, teapoys, marble top dressing and wash-hand tables, old blackwood carved furniture, electric table fan, old copper and brass ornaments. Singer foot-sewing machine, Singapore cane chairs, single iron bedsteads, lamps, rich carpets, etc., etc., the property of Dr. C. H. G. Weatherall, Veterinary Surgeon who is now employed on infantry duty and others.

Catalogues will be published and the property is on view.

BENNETT & CO.
Bombay, 1st December, 1914.

MESSRS. D'LAL M. & CO

AUCTIONEERS AND COMMISSION AGENTS

WEEKLY SALE.

On WEDNESDAY, the 2nd December, at 2-30 p.m., (S.T.), Messrs. D'LAL & Co. will sell by Public Auction at their rooms in El. Circle, Fort, near Kemp & Co., the teak and blackwood house, hotel and office furniture, crockery including dining tables, arm and armless chairs, almyrahs, writing and dressing tables, easy and low chairs, book stands, reclining soft, tapestry lined drawing room suites, benches, book cases, hat stands, marble top round and octagon tables, Bahagadi ladies, tables dinner and tea set, plates, vases, weighing scales, clocks, phonographs, records, etc, etc.

By the order of the concerned.
1 fancy cabinet.
1 counter.

D'LAL M. & Co.,
Auctioneers.
Bombay, 1st December, 1914.

CRAWFORD & CO.

AUCTIONEERS AND COMMISSION AGENTS.

16, Apollo Street, Fort.
Telephone No. 521.

NOTICE.

The SALE of all the stock-in-trade of the late Mr. Mahomed Ebrahim at Abdul Rehman Street, advertised for THIS DAY, has been POSTPONED by order of J. Sanders Slator, Esq., the Administrator General Bombay, and the Administrator of the Sind Estate till further notice.

CRAWFORD & Co.,
Auctioneers.
Bombay, 1st December, 1914.

What's the use of coughing when Zymole Trokeys will stop it? They are pleasing in appearance and taste, thoroughly antiseptic and contain nothing injurious.
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# EXCELSIOR.

Gen. Manager.....Mr. James McGrath

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PHILIP BRAHAM & CAMPBELL'S COMPANY,

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The nightly performances will consist of a full Programme of Musical Numbers, solo and concerted, and in addition, the Company will play two Burlesques as follows:—

Tuesday & Wednesday Dec. 1st & 2nd — "A BOARD MEETING" AND "GOLF AND HOW TO PLAY IT."

Thursday & Friday Dec. 3rd & 4th — "THE TELEPHONE BELLE" AND "FISHING."

**Saturday Dec. 5th Last and Farewell Performance**

CONSISTING OF ALL THE POPULAR ITEMS OF THE COMPANY'S REPERTOIRE.

Doors open at 8-30 p. m.
Commencing at 9-30 p. m.

TRAMS after the performance on Main Lines from Bori Bunder.

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In aid of
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Most Wor. Bro. The Hon. Mr. Justice F. C. O. BEAMAN.
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and
Most E.Comp. Lieut.-Col. W.E. JENNINGS, Grand Superintendent, R. A. S. F. I.

**TOWN HALL**
**5th December, 1914.**

Regalia to be worn by Masons.

CONCERT PROGRAMME.

1. .....National airs.....
LT. COL. W. E. JENNINGS, I. M. S.
2. Song.....King Charles..... *Maude Valerie White*
MR. H. H. COMFORT.
3. Duet (Humorous)...Family jars.....
MR. & MRS. MITCHELL.
4. Violin Solo...(a) Introduction....*Spohr.*
(b) Elegie.. ....*Ernst.*
MR. C. W. HOPKINSON.
5. Song.....Selected.....
MRS. E. R. LEEFE
6. Song.....Song of the bow.....*Florence Aylward.*
MR. JOSEPH DODDS.
7. Song Cycle..Flora's Holiday.....*Lane Wilson.*
MRS. JENKYNS, MRS. W. E. DAVIES.
MR. LEONARD STEDMAN & MR. EDWIN GELLETT.

INTERVAL.

1. Piano Solo..Qui Vive.....*Ganz.*
MR. A. BRIGGS.
2. Recitation....Topical.....
MR. C. BEADON BANKS.
3. Song..Let me like a soldier fall..*V. Wallace.*
MR. LEONARD STEDMAN.
4. Song.....Somewhere a voice is calling.....*Tate.*
MRS. W. E. DAVIES.
5. Violin Solo...Fantasia Faust.....*Alard.* (GOUNOD)
MR. C. W. HOPKINSON.
6. Quartette..Strange Adventure..*Sullivan*
MRS. JENKYNS, MRS. W. E. DAVIES, MR. LEONARD STEDMAN & MR. EDWIN GELLETT.

GOD SAVE THE KING.

Piano kindly lent by Messrs. Marcks & Co.

Light refreshments will be served during the evening at popular prices.

Tickets, Rs. 2 each can be obtained from Messrs. Marcks & Co., Esplanade Road, and from the undersigned.

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F. M. SPENCER.
Joint Honorary Secretaries and Treasurers,
Kings Building, Fort

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PART I — Containing pictures of the opening phases of the war.

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We are also showing:

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—THE SHREW— Most amusing Comedy.

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THE MOST ECONOMICAL FANS OBTAINABLE

## CROMPTONS BOMBAY, Ld.,

35-37, APOLLO STREET.


# COMMERCIAL.

## BOMBAY MARKET.

Bombay, 30th November.

**IMPORTS AND EXPORTS OF TREASURE**

| *Packages.* | *Rs.* | *From* | *Importer.* |
|---|---|---|---|
| | | | Banks. |
| 9 boxes gold | 5,13,333 | London | Chartered |
| 1 „ „ | 19,200 | „ | Mercantile |
| 70 bars silver | 1,50,000 | „ | Chartered |
| 111 „ „ | 1,87,500 | „ | National |
| 87 „ „ | 1,50,000 | „ | Hongkong |
| 306 „ „ | 5,25,000 | „ | Mercantile |
| 623 „ „ | 10,50,000 | „ | Eastern |

**Exports of Bar Silver from Bombay by rail on 2th Nov. 1914.**

| | Bars | Ounces |
|---|---|---|
| G. I. P Railway..... | 17 | 19 347 |
| B. B. & C. I. Railway.... | 26 | 28 882 |

**MONEY.**

The cash balance of the Bank of Bombay is 20 lakhs down.

**EXCHANGE.**

The market remains quiet and rates are unchanged.

Quotations:—

| | s. | d. |
|---|---|---|
| BANKS SELLING— | | |
| T. T. ready .. .. .. | 1 | 3 13/16 |
| D D. mail .. .. .. | 1 | 3¾ |
| T T. forward, 15th Dec. .. | 1 | 3 27/32 |
| BANKS BUYING— | | |
| Private D D. ready .. .. | 1 | 4 1/16 |
| Credits 3 m-s ready .. .. | 1 | 4⅜ |
| 60 d/s Japan Nov. .. .. | 146¼ | |

**BULLION.**

On Saturday the rate for spot bar silver in London was 1/16 lower at 22¾. The local market opened quiet at 70-8 for ready bars and closes rather easier as under.

We quote;—

| | Rs. | a. | p. |
|---|---|---|---|
| English bar gold.... .. .. | 25 | 7 | 0 |
| Ready Bar silver (cum duty) .. | 70 | 5 | 0 |

**GOVERNMENT PAPER.**

The Paper Market stood steady and transactions were reported at about Rs. 91-8.

**SHARES.**

Bank of Bombay shares were placed at Rs. 1,517½, and Bank of India at Rs. 524.

Bombay Burma Trading shares were in demand at Rs. 847½, but hard to secure.

Tata Iron and Steel ordinary shares stood steady at Rs. 86½, and Deferred at Rs. 147.

Central Provinces Railway shares were placed at Rs. 109.

In mill shares Colabas were placed at Rs. 1,240, Davids at Rs. 445, Standard at Rs. 840, and Fazulbhai at Rs. 370.

Tata Hydro Ordinary shares advanced to Rs. 1,095, and Preference to Rs. 1,100.

Tata Iron and Steel Preference were in demand at Rs. 162 c.d.

Mandra Bhon Railway shares were placed at Rs. 23.

Bombay Electric Tram Ordinary shares changed hands at Rs. 204 and Preference at Rs. 171.

**COTTON.**

The American markets were easier on Saturday, New York closing 12 and 11 points lower, and New Orleans 16 and 12 lower for futures. Liverpool was 2 to 3 points down, and is expected to open 3 to 4 points lower. A squeeze is spoken for the December settlement in New York, but as plenty of cotton should be available for the settlement, there is no reason to look for any material advance. Fluctuations may occur, but on the whole we expect an easier tendency to a certain point.

The local market opened Rs. 2 to Rs. 3 lower all round in sympathy with the decline in America. Early in the day little inclination was shown to purchase even at the lower prices offering and at Colaba only a small business was done, the market closing quiet and easier at our quotations. A small line of fine Nagpur January is reported to have been bought by an export house at Rs. 154.

Quotations:—

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Good Broach | Rs. 169 | Mar. |
| Fine Hinganghat Wurdha | Rs. 158 | Jan. |
| Fine Nagpur | Rs. 154 | „ |
| Fine Yeotmal | Rs. 150 | „ |
| Fine Dhamangaon Pulgaon | Rs. 147 | „ |
| Fine Amraoti | Rs. 144 | „ |
| Fine Khamgaon Akola | Rs. 142 | „ |
| Fine Khandeish | Rs. 132 | „ |
| F. G. Khandeish | Rs. 120 | „ |
| Fine Bengal | Rs. 119 | „ |
| Fine Bengal | Rs. 122 | „ |
| F. G. Bengal | 115 | „ |

The following are the receipts of various growths of cotton into Bombay up to 6 p.m., on Saturday.

| | Bales. |
|---|---|
| Khandeish | ... |
| Central India | ... |
| Barsi Nagar | 721 |
| Berar | 629 |
| Central Provinces | 235 |
| Dhollera | ... |
| Broach | ... |
| Compta and Dharwar | ... |
| Westerns | 132 |
| N. W. Provinces | 1,323 |
| Rajputana | ... |
| Sind | 325 |
| Total ... | 3,365 |

**WHEAT AND SEEDS.**

*Wheat*:—Tone quiet and easier.
We quote:—
Ready White Karachi ..... Rs. 7-3-6 R.T.
White Pissi April May ..... Rs. 6-3-0 R.T.
*Linseed*:—Tone steady.
We quote:—
Ready ..... Rs. 7-0-0 B.T.
*Rapeseed*:—Tone quiet but steady.
We quote:—
Ready Brown Cawnpore ..... Rs. 6-12-0 B.T.
Ready Yellow Guzarat ..... Rs. 8-8-0 B.T.
*Poppyseed*:—Tone quiet.
We quote:—
Ready ..... Rs.7-13-0 B.T.
*Castorseed*:—Tone steady.
Ready ..... Rs. 6-0-0 R.T.
*Tilseed*:—Tone quiet.
We quote:—
Bold White 85 per cent. D. J. ..... Rs. 39-0-0
Mimbara Ready ..... Rs. 41-0-0
White Gulburga Ready ..... Rs. 42-0-0
*Cottonseed*:—Tone quiet.
We quote:—
Ready ..... Rs. 2-15-0 B.T.
*Mowrasced*:—Tone steady.
We quote:—
Ready ..... Rs. 4-2-0 B.T.

**RECEIPTS.**

The following are the Receipts of Cotton produce and principal food grains into Bombay for the 24 hours ending at 6 p.m. on Saturday.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Cotton | 3,365 | Bales. |
| Wheat | 5,630 | Cwts. |
| Linseed | 268 | „ |
| Rape, Rai etc. | Nil | „ |
| Gingellyseed | 2,445 | „ |
| Poppyseed | 221 | „ |
| Groundnuts | 2,415 | „ |
| Castorseed | 983 | „ |
| Rice | 1,544 | „ |
| Myrabolams | 2,819 | „ |
| Cottonseed | 5,140 | „ |
| Mowraseed | 103 | „ |
| Gram | 879 | „ |
| Jowar | 5,782 | „ |
| Maize | 4 | „ |
| Barley | 112 | „ |

**TEMPERATURE IN BOMBAY.**

GOVERNMENT OBSERVATORY, COLABA.

Bombay, 29th November 1914.

Means of observations taken at 6 a.m., 10 a.m., 2 p.m 4 p.m., and 10 p.m.

| | |
|---|---|
| Barometer corrected to 32 deg. Fahr. | 29.903 Inches |
| Temperature of Air | 79.9 deg-ree |
| Wet Bulb Thermometer | 69 0 „ |
| Dew Point | 63 4 „ |
| Relative humidity of Air | 0.584 „ |
| Extent of cloudy sky (the whole sky cloudy-10) | 2.0 |
| Maximum temperature of Air | 80.1 „ |
| Minimum do. do. | 72.0 „ |
| General direction of wind from midnight to midnight | ENE,NW,NNW. |
| Movement of Wind from midnight to midnight | 181 miles. |

**SUN, MOON AND TIDES AT BOMBAY.**

**The following are the hours and heights of the tides in Bombay Harbour during the ensuing week. Hours stated in Bombay Mean Time, depth of water is at Prince's Dock sill**

| Day of Week. | Day of Month. | HIGH WATER: Bombay Mean Time. | HIGH WATER: Depth on Nil | LOW WATER: Day of Month. | LOW WATER: Bombay Mean Time | LOW WATER: Depth on Nil |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | Nov | h. m. | ft. in. | Nov | h. m. | ft. in. |
| M. | 30 | m 9 25<br>10 37a | 25 6<br>27 4 | 30 | m 3 38<br>41a | 20 7<br>16 7 |
| | Dec. | | | Dec | | |
| Tu. | 1 | m 9 58<br>11 9a | 25 7<br>27 11 | 1 | m 4 7<br>4 11a | 20 4<br>16 2 |
| W. | 2 | m 10 32<br>11 41a | 25 9<br>28 4 | 2 | m 4 55<br>4 41a | 20 1<br>15 11 |
| Th | 3 | m 11 7 | 25 11 | 3 | m 5 32<br>5 11a | 19 11<br>15 9 |
| F. | 4 | m 0 14<br>11 44 | 28 7<br>25 9 | 4 | m 6 9<br>5 42a | 19 11<br>15 9 |
| S. | 5 | m 0 48<br>0 29a | 28 7<br>25 7 | 5 | m 6 46<br>6 14a | 20 0<br>15 11 |
| SUN | 6 | m 1 23<br>1 4a | 28 8<br>25 5 | 6 | m 7 23<br>6 47a | 20 4<br>16 4 |

The following are the hours of sunrise and sunset according to Indian Standard Time during the ensuing week:—

| Nov. | Sunrise | Sunset |
|---|---|---|
| „ 30 (Monday) | 6h. 55m. | 6h. 0m |
| Dec. 1 (Tuesday) | 6h 56m. | 6h. 0m. |
| „ 2 (Wednesday) | 6h 56m | 6h. 1m. |
| „ 3 (Thursday) | 6h. 57m. | 6h. 1m. |
| „ 4 (Friday) | 6h. 57m. | 6h. 1m. |
| „ 5 (Saturday) | 6h 58 m. | 6h 1 m |
| „ 6 (Sunday) | 6h. 59m. | 6h. 1m |

Phases of the Moon:—Perigee, Nov. 17th, 9-4h, a.m.; New Moon 17th, 9h, 31-9m, p m.; First Quarter, 24th, 7h, 2-7m, p.m.; Full Moon, Dec. 2nd, 11h. 5-6 p.m. Apogee, 27th, 6-2h, p.m.; Last Quarter, 10m, 5h 1-

**ALL-INDIA WEATHER!**

(ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

SIMLA, Nov. 30.

The disturbance near Ceylon has nearly disppeared after giving widespread rain in South-East Madras. Conditions are more settled in North-West India.

Forecast:—Decease of rainfall in Madras, some precipitation in North-West India.

**DAILY WEATHER REPORT.**

**Summary of observations recorded at 8 hours on Monday, the 30th November 1914, giving data for the preceding 24 hours.**

The Punjab.—Skies are lightly to moderately clouded. Humidity is normal or in excess. Night temperature is above normal in the south-west and the north Punjab.

The United Provinces.—Skies are clear or lightly clouded. Humidity is normal or in excess.

Sind and Rajputana.—Skies are clear in upper Sind and lightly to moderately clouded elsewhere. Humidity and night temperature are in excess in Sind. Day temperature is in defect at Jodhpur and Ajmer.

Gujarat, Kathiawar and Central India West.—Skies are clear or lightly clouded.

The Central Provinces.—Skies are clear or lightly clouded.

The Konkan.—Skies are lightly to moderately clouded. Humidity is in defect in the north Konkan.

The Bombay Deccan and Hyderabad.—Skies are lightly clouded everywhere. Humidity is normal or in defect.

General Remarks.—Rainfall has again been nearly general in south-east Madras and fairly general in south Malabar. Weather is disturbed in the south-west of the Bay of Bengal. Conditions are slightly unsettled also in north-west India.

Nearly general rain is likely in south-east Madras and fairly general in south Malabar. A few showers may occur in the Punjab.

***OBSERVATIONS TAKEN at 8 a. m. on MONDAY the 30th of November, 1914.***

| STATIONS. | Temp. in Shade. Maximum of past 24 hours. | Temp. in Shade. Minimum of past 24 hours. | Humidity. 8 A M | Rainfall. Past 24 hours. | Rainfall. Total 1st Nov to date. | Rainfall. Variation 1st Nov. to date |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| PERSIAN-AREA— | | | | | | |
| Bushire | 85.0 | 74.3 | 66 | .. | | |
| Jask | | | | | | |
| Muskat | 82.5 | 75.2 | 66 | .. | | |
| Do.(29th) | | | | | | |
| PUNJAB— | | | | | | |
| Multan | 81.3 | 57.9 | 71 | .. | 0 30 | 0.22 |
| Rawalpindi | 72.9 | 43.8 | 87 | .. | 1.39 | 1.16 |
| Lahore | 78.3 | 48.2 | 86 | .. | 0.37 | 0.32 |
| Sirsa | 79.5 | 45.4 | 70 | | 0 | |
| Ambala | 77.7 | 47.1 | 87 | .. | 0.29 | 0.04 |
| Delhi | -- | -- | -- | .. | 0.33 | -- |
| UNITED PROVINCES— | | | | | | |
| Agra | 78.5 | 53.1 | 88 | .. | 0 | —0.07 |
| Mainpuri | 80.1 | 49.4 | 81 | .. | 0.04 | —0 11 |
| Jhansi | 80.4 | 52.0 | 82 | .. | 0 | —0 11 |
| Cawnpore | 78.8 | 52.1 | 81 | .. | 0 | —0 29 |
| Allahabad | 78.9 | 50.5 | 76 | .. | 0 | —0 31 |
| SIND AND RAJPUTANA; | | | | | | |
| Jacobad | 83.5 | 57.8 | 75 | .. | 0.45 | 0.37 |
| Karachi | 84.0 | 71.0 | 79 | .. | 0.02 | —0 08 |
| Ajmer | 72 0 | 50 0 | 67 | .. | 0.49 | 0 33 |
| Jaipore | 81.2 | 50.8 | 52 | .. | 0.12 | 0 03 |
| Kotah | 81.6 | 56.6 | 46 | .. | 0.25 | 0.26 |
| GUJARAT, KATHIAWAR AND CENTRAL INDIA WEST— | | | | | | |
| Bhuj | 87.4 | 58.0 | 63 | .. | 0.16 | 0.06 |
| Dwarka | 83.3 | 72.5 | 65 | .. | 0.09 | 0 09 |
| Veraval | 87.4 | 55.1 | 49 | .. | 0 | —0.28 |
| Rajkot | 86 8 | 59.8 | 47 | .. | 0.21 | —0.02 |
| Bhavnagar Para | 88.1 | 61.6 | 61 | .. | 0 | —0.19 |
| Surat | 84.0 | 62 7 | 53 | .. | 0.70 | 0 58 |
| Ahmedabad | 89.5 | 53.2 | 49 | .. | 0 | —0.15 |
| Dessa | 80.1 | 50.5 | 50 | .. | 0.05 | —0.07 |
| Neemuch | .. | .. | -- | .. | 0.45 | 0.30 |
| Indore | | | | | | |
| CENTRAL PROVINCES— | | | | | | |
| Jubbulpore | 77 9 | 48 3 | 66 | .. | 0 | —0.43 |
| Saugor | 78.2 | 55.6 | 48 | .. | 0.04 | —0 36 |
| Hoshangabad | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Khandwa | 82.5 | 51.3 | 55 | .. | 0.20 | —0.19 |
| Akola | 84 2 | 51.7 | 48 | .. | 0 | —0.43 |
| Amra oti | 82.9 | 53.5 | 49 | .. | 0.01 | —0.50 |
| Nagpur | 81 9 | 53.8 | 58 | .. | 0.38 | —0 60 |
| Chanda | 82.5 | 49.0 | 71 | .. | 0 | —0 77 |
| Raipur | 80.2 | 55.6 | 71 | .. | 0 | —0.42 |
| KONKAN— | | | | | | |
| Bombay | 89.1 | 73.1 | 62 | .. | 0.18 | —0 20 |
| Ratnagiri | 94 1 | 71.3 | 36 | .. | 0.01 | —0.45 |
| Mormugao | 86.8 | 73.5 | 86 | .. | 0.43 | —0.53 |
| Karwar | 89.5 | 68.8 | 87 | .. | 2.65 | 0 98 |
| BOMBAY DECCAN AND HYDERABAD— | | | | | | |
| Malegaon | 87 3 | 61.1 | 62 | .. | 1.78 | 1.37 |
| Ahmednagar | 81 8 | 53.5 | 47 | .. | 1.63 | 1 13 |
| Poona | 83.6 | 58.7 | 66 | .. | 0.55 | 0 27 |
| Sholapur | 86 2 | 58.1 | 54 | .. | 1.80 | 0 91 |
| Bijapur | 85 3 | 53.9 | 47 | .. | 2.33 | 1 44 |
| Belgaum | 83 3 | 59.7 | 53 | .. | 1.18 | —0 29 |
| Aurangabad | 88 3 | 53.5 | 45 | .. | 0.66 | 0 19 |
| Nyzamabad (Indur). | 84.6 | 53 7 | 54 | .. | 0.88 | —0 54 |
| Hyderabad | 85.0 | 61.5 | 48 | .. | 0 | —0.88 |
| MALABAR COAST AND CEYLON— | | | | | | |
| Mangalore | 92.9 | 75.9 | 73 | .. | 2.01 | —0 78 |
| Calicat | 88.4 | 76.6 | 92 | 0.02 | 2.26 | —2 49 |
| Cochin | 90 8 | 76.7 | 80 | 0 06 | 4.76 | —1 58 |
| Colombo | 86 3 | 74.6 | 95 | 0.03 | 9.75 | —2 57 |
| MADRAS (EXCLUDING MALABAR) AND MYSORE— | | | | | | |
| Maslipatam | 88.2 | 70.4 | 87 | .. | 0.66 | —4.35 |
| Bellary | 92 0 | 67.3 | 65 | .. | 2.11 | 0 15 |
| Guddapah | 90.5 | 68 4 | 71 | .. | 2.49 | —0.77 |
| Madras | 83.8 | 75 6 | 48 | 0.20 | 11 73 | —1. 5 |
| Bangalore | 87 3 | 61.3 | 89 | .. | 7 34 | —1 49 |
| Coimbator | 81 2 | 71 0 | 83 | 0.18 | 1 09 | —2 10 |
| Trichinopoly | 81 7 | 72.7 | 92 | 0.29 | 2 8. | —2.07 |
| Negapatam | 85 8 | 73.8 | 84 | 0.25 | 3.94 | —11.46 |


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# SHIPPING.

## ARRIVALS.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Kt. To u lar | Terada | Kobe Oct. 20 |
| Ocean | Jones | Rangoon Nov. 20 |
| Virawa | ChristiansenN | Cascuttaov. 19 |
| Nov. 30. | Piggott | Durban Oct. 22 |
| Amazon | Bessu | Karachi Nov. 19. |

## DEPARTURES.

Nov. 30.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Scindia | Kelso | Glasgow |
| Linga | Cuttush | Karachi |

The following vessels obtained port clearance yesterday.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Palitana | A. Kinnipple | Zanzibar |
| Vita | Commack | Bushire |
| Capri | Palamba | Genoa |

The following vessels entered for loading yesterday:—

Steamer Jinsen Maru for Kobe

S. S. Ocean from Calcutta, Agents The Bombay Co.—6,200 tons coal.

S. S. Jinsen Maru:—The N. Y. K. Company's steamer Jinsen Maru, 3,784 tons, Captain T. Terada, arrived in harbour on Sunday from Kobe, which port she left on October 20, with a general cargo.

S. S. Kt. Templar:—The B. I. S. N. Company's steamer Kt. Templar, 4,602 tons, Captain S. J. Jones, arrived in harbour on Sunday from Rangoon, which port she left on November 20, with a general cargo.

S. S. Ocean:—The Bombay S. N. Company's steamer Ocean, 2,460 tons, Captain T. L. Christiansen, arrived in harbour on Sunday from Calcutta, which port she left on November 19, with coal.

S. S. Virawa:—The B. I. S. N. Company's steamer Virawa, 2,176 tons, Captain H. G. Piggott, arrived in harbour on Sunday from Durban, which port she left on October 22, with coal, a general cargo and passengers.

S. S. Amazon:—The steamer Amazon, 1,234 tons, Captain S. Bessu, arrived in harbour yesterday from Karachi, which port she left on November 19, with ballast.

S. S. Scindia:—The Natal Line steamer Scindia, 3,253 tons, Captain W. Kelso, sailed yesterday for Glasgow, with a general cargo and passengers.

S. S. Linga:—The B. I. S. N. Company's steamer Linga, 951 tons, Captain H. M. Cutbu[illegible] sailed yesterday for Karachi, with a general cargo and passengers.

S. S. Palitana:—The B. I. S. N. Company's steamer Palitana, 1,934 tons, Captain A. W. Kinnipple, will sail to-day for Zanzibar, with a general cargo and passengers.

S. S. Vita:—The B. I. S. N. Company's steamer Vita, 1,954 tons, Captain F. R. Commack, will sail to-day for Bushire via Karachi, with a general cargo and passengers.

S. S. Capri:—The Italian Line steamer Capri, 2,953 tons, Captain F. Palamba, will sail to-day for Genoa, with a general cargo and passengers.

S. S. Saigon Maru:—The O. S. K. steamer Saigon Maru left Kobe for Hongkong on the 27th instant.

S. S. Hakushika Maru:—The N. Y. K. steamer Hakushika Maru left Kobe for Hongkong on the 29th instant.

**PRINCE'S DOCK.**

Monday, Noven ber, 30th. 1914.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Benguela | Owen | W. & A. G. & Co |
| Earl of Douglas | Rum | T. Morrison & Co. |
| Hindoo | Pearson | J. Finlay & Co. |
| Capri | Polveta | E Baldonino |
| Petravati | Abubuker | Bo. S. N. Co. |
| Vita | Commach | M. M. & Co |
| Sardar | Ookerji | P. G. S. N. Co. |
| Umzumbi | Robertson | W. & A. G. & Co |

**H. W. P. D.**

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Sarasvati | Molu | R. & S. N. Co |
| Bahadurl | Mahomed | B. & S. N. Co |
| Sabarmati | Sabridin | Bo. S. N. Co |

**VICTORIA DOCK.**

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Alavi | Richardson | T. M & Co |
| City of Florence | Beyek | K. N & Co. |
| Lindenfels | Nickle | W. & A. G. & Co |
| Rinaldo | Gondon | J. Finlay & Co |
| Clan Macpherson | Shapland | J. Finlay & Co |
| Palitana | Kinnipple | M. M. & Co |
| Malay Maru | Sukawa | N. Y. Kaisha |
| Nankin | Manley | P. & O. Co. |
| Persia | Hall | P. & O. Co |
| Queen Maud | Howes | J. Mackintosh & Co. |

## VESSELS IN THE STREAM.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Amazon | Bessu | |
| Capo Antebes | Lochead | J. Mackintash & Co |
| Calthness | Ridland | W. & A. G. & Co. |
| Dumra | Andreason | M. M. & Co |
| Inverness | Venus | A. Yule & Co |
| Islami | Watson | T. M. & Co. |
| Jinsen Maru | Terada | N Y. K. |
| Kt. Templar | Jones | M.M. & Co |
| Locksley Hall | Gardner | K. N. & Co |
| Lawoe | Smith | Khandwani & Co |
| Meteor | Remmersen | W. & A. G. & Co. |
| Ocean | Christiansen | Bombay Co |
| Pior di Pio | Aboo | Purshotum & Co. |
| Stephanotis | Robinson | A Yule & Co. |
| Kinross | Tribilcock | T. M. & Co. |
| Montebullo | Montgomery | J. Finlay & Co |
| Steinbergen | De Young | |
| Vitrava | Piggott | M. M. & Co |
| Yorkmcor | Grest | W. & A. G. & Co |

## EXPORTS.

FOR LONDON.

Persia (s) 121 casks goat skins Nizamuddin & Co.; 520 casks groundnuts oil cake The Commercial Trading Co.

Lindenfels (s) 125 bales hemp, K. Visram & Co.

FOR HULL.

Rinaldo (s) 50 bales cotton, Gaddum & Co.; 2,500 cwts. groundnut oil cake T. Morrison & Co.

FOR GENOA.

Benguela (s) 3,200 cwts, castorseed, K. Dewchand & Co.

FOR NEW YORK.

Benguela (s) 1,617 cwts. castorseed, Volkart Bros.; 70 cwts. cashewnuts, Ali Bros.; 2,484 cwts. bone sinews, Hollingshurst & Co.; 437 cwts. capsicums, 46 cwts. aloes, 125 cwts. gum olibanun, M. Jafferbhoy; 600 cwts. ajawanseed, 1 pot gingergrass oil, 3 pots rosa oil, Volkart Bros.

FOR KOBE.

Malay Maru (s) 2,960 bales cotton, T. Yuasa; 1,800 bales cotton, N. M. K. Kaisha; 1,900 bales cotton, C. Bomanjee & Co.; 700 bales cotton, G. G. Kaisha; 700 bales cotton, Gaddum & Co.

FOR MOJI.

Malay Maru (s) 300 bales cotton, G. G. Kaisha, 500 bales cotton, N. M. K. Kaisha; 150 bales cotton, Gaddum & Co.

FOR YOKKAICHI.

Malay Maru (s) 500 bales cotton, G. G. Kaisha; 500 bales cotton, N. M. K. Kaisha.

FOR OSAKA.

Malay Maru 700 bales cotton, N. M. K. Kaisha; 200 bales cotton, N. Rajaram & Co.

Nankin (s) 200 bales cotton, Breul and Co.; 269 bales cotton, Tata Sons & Co.; 200 bales cotton, N. Rajaram & Co.

FOR KOBE.

Nankin (s) 600 bales cotton, C. Bomanjee & Co.; 200 bales cotton, G. G. Kaisha; 731 bales cotton, Tata Sons & Co.; 400 bales cotton Gaddum & Co.

FOR SHANGHAI.

Nankin (s) 250 bales cotton twist, C. Bomanjee & Co.; 350 bales cotton twist, M. B. Kaisha; 100 bales cotton twist, J. David.

FOR HONGKONG.

Nankin (s) 10 cases opium, P. & O. S. N. Co.; 150 bales cotton twist, M. B. Kaisha.

## IMPORTS.

S. S. Vita from London, Agents M. M. and Co.—6 bales cotton rope, 1 case cotton goods, 1 case woollen goods, 1 case wool, 1,000 casks cement, 7 cases candles, 200 casks disinfecting powder, 40 kegs soda, 20 packages boracic acid, 68 cases 24 barrels emulsion, 57 cases medicine, 1 case cigars, 16 cases tobacco and cigarettes, 19 cases tobacco, 1 case tea, 4 cases lead plates, 25 cases lead slabs, 30 drums turpentine, 10 cases c. l. oil, 13 cases essential oil, 48 cases beer, 23 cases cider, 49 cases gin, 1 case brandy, 50 cases 1 cask whisky, 20 cases medicinal spirits, 525 cases 1 hogshead wine, 103 cases spirits, 32 cases bottles, 92 cases fog signals, 50 cases lemon juice, 25 cases malted milk, 1,715 cases provisions and oilman's stores, 12 bales old newspapers, 51 bales 70 cases 59 packages paper, 6 cases perfumery, 35 cases confectionery, 42 cases soap, 42 casks tallow, 904 barrels 15 cases grease.

# BOMBAY CITY AND SUBURBS.

## PUBLIC ENGAGEMENTS

TO-DAY.

**Bombay Presidency Chess Tournament, "B" Class, Bombay Chess Club Room, 8-10 a.m. and 5-30 to 10-30 p.m. (S. T.)**

**Excelsior Theatre of Varieties, 6-30.**

**America-India Cinematograph, Charni Road, 7 to 8-15, 8-30 to 9-45, and 10 to 11-15.**

**Imperial Cinematograph, Charni Rd., 7 to 8-30, 8-45 to 10-15, 10-30 to 12.**

**Olympia Cinematograph, Sandhurst Road, 5-15 to 6-45, 7 to 8-30, 9 to 10-30, and 11 to 12-30.**

## BOMBAY VOLUNTEER ARTILLERY.

Regimental Orders by Major J. W. Hawes, V. D., Commanding.

November 30.

442. Leave.—The undernamed have been granted leave as follows:—
No. 1405 a/Br. P. Willings for one month from 28—11—14.
No. 778, Sergt. A. A. Spilling from 12th December 1914 to 12th January 1915.

443. Resignations and Strength.—No. 1 Coy. No. 1570, Gunner H. H. Stanley and 1593, J. Willey having rejoined their Regiments are Struck Off the Strength of the Corps from 9th November 1914.
No. 2 Company.—The following having permanently left the Station are Struck Off the Strength of the Corps from to-day's date:—
No. 1625, Gunner K. D. Trayler, No. 1526, Gunner S. A. Kotley and No. 1587, Gunner, W. G. McIntesh.
The undernamed having resigned is Struck off the Strength of the Corps from 28th November 1914:—
No. 1836, Gunner S. N. Elliott.

(Sd.) R. C. D. GRAHAM, Capt. R. A.,
Adjutant, Bombay Vol. Artillery.

## BOMBAY VOLUNTEER RIFLES.

Regimental Orders by Lieut.-Colonel P. R. Cadell, Commanding.

December 1.

996. Command.—Captain C. R. Watkins having returned from leave took over command of "A" Company from the 30th Instant.

997. Battalion Parade.—The Battalion will parade as strong as possible for Battalion Drill at Sir Richard Temple's Statue at 4-30 p.m., on Saturday, December 5th. All members, who are unable to attend, must obtain leave of absence from the Officer Commanding their company. The parade will be dismissed by 7 p.m.
Dress.—Drill Order with Helmets.

998 Arms.—Arms and Accoutrements will be reissued this week, daily between 5-30 and 7 p.m., and at company parades. All arms must be drawn before Friday, December 4th. Companies should parade at their usual parade hours at Head-Quarters this week to draw arms, prior to Battalion drill on Saturday next.

(Sd.) C. M. MOBERLY, Capt.,
Adjutant, Bombay Vol. Rifles.

## STRING BAND AT THE PRINCESS MARY GYMKHANA.

By kind permission of Colonel T. W. Benner V. D. and Officers, the Band of the 1st Battalion, G. I. P. Railway Volunteers, will play a programme of music, under the direction of Mr. Hugh, B. Mitchell Band Master, commencing at 6-15 p.m. on Tuesday the 1st December 1914.

## EXAMINATION FOR THE DEGREE OF M. D.

Branch II (Midwifery).—Both the candidates, Messrs. Navroji Ardeshir Cooper and Rajabally Visram Patel, have passed the Examination.

## ENGLISH MAILS.

The P. & O. Company's s.s. Salsette, with the outward Mails of the 14th instant, is expected to arrive in Bombay at 8 a.m., on Friday next.

## THEFT OF ORNAMENTS.

A pilgrim broker, named Alimahomed Suledar, residing in Goghari Street, reports the theft of a gold watch and chain, gold ornaments and cash, collectively valued at Rs. 495, from his room during his temporary absence on Sunday afternoon.

## S. S. SCINDIA.

The Anchor Line s.s. Scindia will sail from No. 2 shed Victoria dock this morning with the following passengers:—Miss N. Bourdillon, Mrs. J. Heywood, Mrs. E. M. Hull, Rev. G W. Park.

## DEATH FROM HYDROPHOBIA.

Jaffer Ismail, a Mahomedan, aged 22 years, was bitten about two months ago by his two-month old pup. He however did not have the bite treated and sent the pup to the Pinjrapole. On Sunday he was seen behaving strangely near the Bazaar Gate Police Station. He was very violent and was therefore secured and taken to the G. T. Hospital, where it was ascertained that he was suffering from hydrophobia. He died on Sunday night.

## DAILY MORTALITY RETURNS.

No attacks of either plague, small-pox or cholera were reported in Bombay City on Sunday. The total mortality during the day was 65, as compared with 87 of the corresponding day of 1913 and 91 of 1912. The number of rats caught by the municipal rat-catchers on Saturday was 2,272, out of which 2 were found to be plague infected. One of these latter was caught in Mandvi and the other in 2nd Nagpada.

## A COSTLY NAP.

A Marwari shroff, named Guna Natha, reports that at 11 a.m. on Sunday he left his shop in Nagdevi Street. On his return at 1 p.m. he found his servant, whom he had left in charge of the shop, sleeping. He woke him up and asked him to get the key of the cash box from under the bed. But the key could not be found and on examining the box, the lock was found open and ornaments, currency notes and cash, collectively valued at Rs. 2,762, missing from it.

## THE SOCIAL SERVICE LEAGUE.

On Sunday the 29th November, sports and open air games of various sports were held at Madanpura by the Social Service League for the benefit of the children of the depressed classes. About 150 children belonging to the Agripada Improvement Trust chawl and the Dagadi chawl took part in the sports, which were conducted under the supervision of Mr. A. S Wagh, a secretary of the League and other workers. The winners in the sports were given prizes and sweets were distributed among all.

## MOHURRUM AT BANDRA.

The tenth and last day of the Mohurrum at Bandra passed off quietly on Sunday. There was only one taboot—that of the Kasaiwada, or butcher's quarter—and owing to the taboot restrictions in Bombay there was a large influx of Mahomedans from the city, both on Saturday night and Sunday. The peace arrangements were excellent, and Mr. Cooke, D. S. P., Thana, and Mr. Dabholkar, First Class Resident Magistrate, personally supervised the work.

## CHRISTMAS TREAT BY SEAMEN'S INSTITUTE.

In connection with the Christmas Treat which the Bombay Harbour Mission and Seamen's Institute provides for the sailors in Port during Christmas week, the Honorary Secretary, appeals to all those in Bombay who are in any way interested in the welfare of the seafaring community, for gifts of cakes, fruit, tobacco, pipes, or contributions in money. All gifts will be thankfully received and acknowledged, and should be sent on December 26th to the Acting Superintendent at the Institute premises in Frere Road, opposite Prince's Dock.

## DR. BATLIWALLA'S LECTURE ON THE WAR

A public address on the present crisis was delivered by Dr. S. S. Batliwala, L.M. & S., Chairman of the F Ward Food Prices Committee on Sunday last at Sewri, Koliwada, before a large gathering consisting of Hindus and Mahomedans. In view of the presence of a large number of mill hands the address was delivered in Marathi. The lecturer traced the course of events up to the present day, and showed how secure was the position of England and her Indian subjects. It was gratifying to see all India to a man devoted to the British cause. Unfortunate Turkey was cajoled by Germany into joining the conflict, but she must have been greatly disappointed to find that that had produced not the slightest impression on the unswerving loyalty of the Moslem subjects of His Majesty the King-Emperor, whose gracious words of solicitude for the Mahomedans, the lecturer quoted and explained. After giving three cheers for the British Arms and offering prayers for their success, the audience dispersed.

## ANNIHILATION OF THE WURTEMBURGERS.

### BRIGADE TRAPPED BETWEEN FIRE AND WATER.

The Parisian newspaper the "Gaulois" of Nov. 3 recounts the annihilation of a Wurtemburg Brigade in the valley of the Yser.

"At midday," says the journal, "the Wurtemburgers in formidable numbers had succeeded under the protection of their artillery in crossing the Yser on planks. After a week's fighting the river was choked with sunken boats, trunks of trees, bodies of men, and carcases of horses. It was over a veritable bridge of corpses that the enemy passed.

"Meanwhile the allied troops had taken up a position a little in the rear, some regiments remaining in position to cover this movement. Massed on the left bank of the Yser, the enemy's infantry prepared to attack. Some caps skilfully arranged over empty trenches drew the German artillery, which wasted its shells on the decoy. Then the Wurtemburgers advanced, and were astounded to find, instead of bodies of the enemy, nothing but a few caps.

"Just then a loud rumbling noise was heard in a westerly direction. The noise gradually became clearer, resembling the rush of the tide. Suddenly a flood of seething water burst upon the astonished Germans. Trees and corpses were carried on the current, which swept everything before it. Cries of rage and terror came from the German lines. It was too late. Down came the torrent, and in a few moments the enemy's trenches were filled.

"The terrified Wurtemburgers fled to the high ground to get clear of the inundation, but from the heights the Allied artillery poured volleys of shrapnel into them. The enemy was taken between water and fire. Those who escaped drowning succumbed to our bullets or shells. A few came to our lines, thus evading death by captivity. Thus was the end of the Wurtemburg Brigade."

## KAISER'S NARROW ESCAPE.

### BOMBS THROWN ON HIS APPARTMENTS

A "Times" correspondent in Northern France, writing on Nov. 5, states:—

Further details are now available of the Kaiser's narrow escape from death from bombs thrown by an airman attached to the Allied Army occupying the line Nieuport-Ypres.

For five days the German Emperor was present at the operations on that front, and it was because of his presence that the enemy made such persistent and vigorous attacks on the Allies, regardless of the enormous sacrifice of life.

Last Sunday the Kaiser, with some of his A. D. C.'s, arrived by motor-car at a tavern at Thielt about 5 p.m. Apartments had been reserved for the Emperor and dinner was ready for him. His personal baggage had already been deposited in the bedroom prepared for him to spend the night. He was in a hurry and did not dress for dinner, but immediately sat down to dine. After the meal, instead of going to his room, he hurriedly left the tavern with two of his A.D.C.'s and motored to the other end of the town, where fresh rooms were engaged.

Twenty minutes after the Kaiser left the first tavern six bombs fell upon the building, and the room where his baggage lay was completely destroyed. Two A.D.C.'s who had remained at the tavern

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*THE BOMBAY CHRONICLE.*

*Tuesday, December 1, 1914.*

## A DANGER AND ITS MORAL.

It is by this time, we think, clear to everyone that the mischievous rumours regarding the progress of the war, and the gross inventions that obtain credence in the Indian bazaars, are largely the result of an organised campaign by German agents whose efforts did not cease but were increased when the war broke out, and whose activity has not been altogether suppressed by the internment of enemy subjects at Ahmednagar and elsewhere. Everyone is acquainted by this time with the extraordinary ability with which the German Secret Service is conducted and its many ramifications. And we have been informed that the Government are in possession of definite proof of the dispatch of secret agents, at the instance of Germany, from Constantinople to Egypt and India, whose mission was to stir up Mahomedan feeling against the Allies,—a highly respectable undertaking for the agents of a Christian state! It is quite clear that these agents are still busy throughout India, and though the main object of the mission on which they are engaged has been unsuccessful, thanks to the good sense and loyalty of the bulk of the Mahomedan community, they have been none-the-less a prolific source of mischief in gulling the credulous with alarmist stories of British disasters that have never taken place, German victories that are equally imaginary, and prognostication of the imminent downful of the British Empire to be accomplished by all sorts of marvellous expedients, which seem perfectly possible and credible to the uneducated and ignorant people, but are merely laughable to well-informed people, who have taken the trouble to keep themselves informed in the politics of the world. The problem of how to cope with this mischief is one which, unfortunately, the Government has never tackled except in a spasmodic sort of way, and we are glad to see that the European Association, which is not often engaged in work of such a useful character, has taken upon itself to appeal to the Government of India to provide facilities for the people to arrive at the true facts and to make an effort to publish, as widely as possible, authentic information regarding the true state of affairs. The Association point out that the Government of Bombay have already taken steps by providing material for lectures on the causes of the war and the conditions under which it is waged. We have no doubt that this will be productive of a certain amount of good. The mere enlightenment of the masses in regard to certain broad facts connected with the naval power of England, the military power of France and Russia, and the failure of German efforts, would be a revelation that would enable them to receive with incredulity the ridiculous sort of stuff, for which these insiduous propagators of lies have hitherto found a ready audience. But as the Association says this does not go far enough, as information so given is likely to reach only a limited class of the population. What is wanted is that Government should undertake to meet these mischievous rumour-mongers on their own ground, not merely by distributing reliable information through such official channels as the Association suggests,—this would not be productive of much good; it is not the least use expecting people to believe what the police tell them,—but by engaging on a campaign as well-organised and as effective as that against which they have to contend. It is marvellous what one fairly skilled controversialist, speaking with authority, can do at a single mosque or other locality in which people congregate, and it is only on these lines, and by bearing the necessary cost that we can hope effectively to counteract the mischief.

While we share the anxiety of the Council of the European Association that Government should take some effective steps of this sort, we trust that the lesson of the grave experience that the country has suffered in the readiness with which the most preposterous rumours and prognostications obtain currency will not be lost upon it. We wonder how many people in India and Great Britain, who have been accustomed to discourage and discredit the politicians in this country, realise how much they have owed to them, what a bulwark they are, in a crisis like the present. The letter of the European Association to the Government of India contains the account of an incident of a kind with which we are all familiar:—

**The President of this Association, in his professional capacity, was lately consulted by a native banker as to whether or not if Bengal became a German province, the Germans would meet the obligations of Government and pay the dividends on Government Paper. Upon his ridiculing the idea of such a contingency and enquiring what grounds there were for anxiety, his client told him he was credibly informed that, the Germans having taken Antwerp and having a number of Zeppelins, the fall of London was imminent. Similar extravagant stories have reached other members of my Council.**

Stories of this kind, which could be multiplied a hundredfold, would be highly entertaining if they were not pathetic. There are hundreds of similar cases to be met with every day of men of keen business aptitude, fairly well educated and perfectly sane and adult in normal circumstances, who are as easily gulled by a preposterous story of this kind as though they were children in a nursery. That is because they have never had any political education. They know nothing about the political and military status of the various countries of the world; while their commercial geography is all that they can need, their political geography is non-existent. The man who has the merest smattering of political knowledge, who has taken the smallest trouble to keep himself *au courant* with the political affairs of the world, knows something about the power and resources of the British Empire, what the supremacy of the seas means, and can follow with intelligence the progress of the military compaigns in their broad outlines, not being in a perfect fog of ignorance as to political and military values, can estimate at their worth reports and forecasts which are hopelessly unrelated to any sort of probabilities or possibilities. But in India, owing to the paucity and limited character of our political institutions, and the consequent poverty of political life, to say nothing of the persistent discouragement in the past of political aspirations, we are faced at a time like the present not only by the danger of the ignorance of the masses,—an ignorance which the State has done so little to remove and which an influential party in the State actually regards as an advantage,—but also the stupidity of educated people who have been encouraged to regard the sordid material pursuits of their everyday business life as the be-all and end-all of their existence. The lesson, we hope, will not be lost. Mass education and a healthy political activity are among the most essential assets of the modern State.

## THE WAR AND THE COCAINE EVIL.

One of the few beneficial effects of the war,—speaking indirectly of course,—is the blow it has dealt at the gang or rather gangs,—mostly of German or Austrian extraction,—which have been for the last few years most daring and persistent in smuggling cocaine into this country. Seeing that the operations of these Continental dealers and their agents at the principal Indian ports were carried on mostly through the mediumship of the stewards and crews of German and Austrian boats, it is easy to understand why there should be experienced at the present time a decline in the clandestine trade in this drug. The Austrian-Lloyd boats in particular had earned a notoriety for the persistency with which some of their stewards carried on the traffic, in spite of the heavy punishments meted out to the culprits whenever the vigilance of the C. I. D. succeeded in tracking them down. The smuggling business went on, however, without receiving any apparent check and the wits of the authorities were often taxed how effectively to scotch this hydra-headed monster. The ease with which the drug in small quantities can be concealed about the person and the inordinately high prices which it fetches relatively to its quantity, have proved too strong temptations to the smugglers to be influenced by any thoughts of the risks of the trade. The war has, however, dealt an unexpected blow at the secret traffic and for a time we may expect a relief from the attentions of these Continental smugglers.

Since, however, the cocaine evil has obtained a strong foothold in this country and large numbers of lower class people, especially in the larger towns like Bombay, Calcutta, Delhi, etc., are victims of the habit, it behoves the authorities to devise measures betimes to take full advantage of the situation created by the war. Now is the time to make a determined effort effectively to control the whole of the trade in cocaine, whether the import trade or the internal traffic in the drug. No doubt, with the lessened scope left for the operations of the smuggler, there is a likelihood of desperate attempts being made, both by the consumer as well as the smuggler of the drug, to circumvent the authorities. One of the sources of the supply of the clandestine consumer has been the stocks in the public and private hospitals and dispensaries, and though the leakage from this source may not amount to much in the total, still a slightly stricter control over these stocks may not go amiss. The Excise Department and the Customs authorities must, at this juncture, put forth strong efforts to establish control over this and all the other possible sources of supply of the drug. It is assuring in this connection to find that a conference is being held at Delhi to consider the situation in regard to the cocaine traffic in the Punjab, the United Provinces and Delhi. One does not know why the enquiry has been confined to these territories, for it would have been better to include representatives from the other provinces as well, for Bombay, Bengal and Madras are no less vitally interested in the matter than the provinces named above. Anyhow, we trust, that the golden opportunity created by the present situation to deal a death-blow at the evil will not be lost by the authorities.

## Notes of the Day

**The Good News of the War.**

Sir John French's dispatch, describing the operations in Belgium from early in October till the middle of November, fills in the details of a story with which we were already acquainted in its broad outlines, but it brings more vividly before us the magnitude of the task in which the British and Indian troops have been engaged and the gallantry, fortitude and determination with which they have assisted our gallant French and Belgian Allies to render futile the plans of the enemy. It is stated in the telegrams today that the Germans are removing troops in large numbers to the eastern theatre of war, and that the Allies are taking an energetic offensive. From Petrograd it is reported that the German Army on the Warta-Vistula front has been broken into three fragments and that only one of these is expected to reach the German frontier. In spite of the cautious announcements of the Russian General Staff it is clear that the Germans in Poland have received a crushing blow, and that the Russian Headquarters are merely anxious to await the full fruition of their strategy, before taking credit for a final victory. The Germans are now faced with a new embarrassment; they must weaken themselves on the west in the forlorn hope of retrieving the disaster in the east. The end of all this is obvious. We shall see the German Fleet dug out of the Kiel Canal, perhaps, sooner than we thought.

**Hungary and the War.**

The Magyars never miss an opportunity of emphasising their national independence and it is alleged, in reliable circles, that Hungary is anxious to dissociate herself from the war. The "New Stateman" has received news from two private and entirely separate sources of information. One of its informants, the agent in England of one of the largest Hungarian banks, states that he has received a letter from Budapest, via Switzerland, in which it is mentioned that meetings of Hungarian nobles have been held in the capital, at which it was resolved to seize the earliest opportunity of making a separate peace with Russia. The other informant of the "New Statesman," who is also well situated to receive authentic news, is responsible for the statement, that a deputation of what is known as "the 1848 party," has actually proceeded to Petrograd to negotiate the preliminaries of a peace favourable to the national aspirations of Hungary. The "Figaro" of Paris has also been publishing letters from prominent Hungarian residents abroad that the hearts of their fellow countrymen are not in this war and that the old hatred of the Austrians and Germans has in no way abated. The Russians are reported to have now entered Hungary, and, if the news of the feeling current in Hungary is accurate, it will have great effect on the operations in the east. The link which binds the two Kingdoms of the Dual Monarchy together has never been strong, and the present is a golden opportunity for Hungary.

**The Prince of Wales's Fund.**

Some murmurings are beginning to be heard in the British press of the no little dissatisfaction said to be felt at the way in which the Prince of Wales's Fund is being administered. "The New Statesman" takes up the matter very vigorously. Though more than one-fifth of it has already been spent or allotted, no information, says this journal, has been vouchsafed to the public as to how it is being expended, or upon what. The Prince of Wales has publicly disclaimed all responsibility for its management, and the Government has made it clear that the entire expenditure of the Fund is controlled by the Cabinet Committee of the Prevention and Relief of Distress. Yet an enquiry in the House of Commons regarding the management of the Fund, was snuffed out on the plea that the Fund was one over which Parliament had no control. It is complained that the Fund has been used to relieve the War Office from its obligations to keep from the workhouse the wives of men called to the Front, and that a large amount has been appropriated for various military and naval charities under private and irresponsible management. As to the measures for dealing with civilian distress the criticism is that, though the Prince of Wales very sensibly asked that the Fund should be used as far as possible to give employment rather than doles, the grants otherwise than doles have been but the tiniest fraction of exceptional cases. Mayors and Town Clerks, who have come up to Whitehall, have been flatly told that they could have no grants whatever out of the Fund to enable them to employ men on public works, but grants have been made to a hundred and fifty Local Representative Committees to be distributed by them in weekly doles and the expenditure is going on week by week unchecked by any insistence on an intelligent policy. Practically all the other ways of applying the Fund have been ignored or prohibited.

**Trade with Persia.**

Now that the war has stopped the supply of drugs from Germany and Persian merchants are having some difficulty in renewing their supplies, the "Indian Trade Journal" in a recent issue says that the moment seems favourable for Indian exporters to increase their trade with Persia. Export firms are recommended to address the British Consuls at Teheran, Isfahan, Yezd and Kermanshah, sending to each a supply of price lists and other literature for distribution. The "Trade Journal," in its issue of November 19, also gives particulars as to the way in which business could be conducted and exporters could see if there is a possibility of securing the trade.

**The Bowers Memorial Tablet.**

Brief and impressive in its simplicity was the ceremony of unveiling the tablet to the memory of the late Lieut. Bowers, P.I.M., who died in company with Capt. Scott and Dr. Wilson, in a lonely tent in the Arctic wastes on the return journey from the South Pole. Lieut. Bowers died a hero's death, and the tablet, which his brother officers have created to his memory, will serve to remind future generations of one of the greatest achievements in Arctic explorations of the present age. His Excellency the Governor in a brief but exceedingly touching speech, paid a tribute to Lieut. Bowers that made a deep impression on his hearers.

## APPOINTMENT OF EXAMINERS AND COLLEGE PROFESSORS.

TO THE EDITOR OF "THE CHRONICLE."

Sir,—I admire Principal Allen's courage in replying to my letter complaining of the appointment of University Examiners and Principals of technical Colleges, but his reply augments the poignancy of my comments instead of lessening it.

He says Messrs. Macmillan and Cree-Brown have been trained both as civil and mechanical engineers. I wonder if there is a college in any part of the world where a young man could be trained and specialised in these two widely differing subjects simultaneously in course of three or four years, thus enabling him to take up an appointment as a professor in both these subjects, without having been in responsible charge of some work of importance as head engineer for a reasonable period. If Mr. Cree-Brown specialised himself in mechanical engineering in his university course and even worked for sometime in shops, (perhaps as apprentice), I should like to know when and where did he pick up his civil engineering and in what capacity, and for what period he practised it before he came out to India. In the same way it would be very interesting to know Mr. Macmillan's career before he was sent out here as a professor. I know there are some subjects common to both civil and mechanical engineering students, but that does not go to prove that students are trained and specialised in both civil and mechanical engineering at one and the same time. Even training alone ought not to qualify a man to be appointed a professor in an important engineering college. The man must have had some experience as a responsible engineer in charge of works of some importance and magnitude before he is considered fit to teach others.

As regards my remarks concerning the appointment of a professor of physics as a principal of an engineering college, allow me to say that, though I have great respect and esteem for Dr. Allen's ability as a professor of physics, I still maintain that, as the principal of a medical college must always be an eminent medical man, so the principal of an engineering college, which professes to teach civil and mechanical engineering only, must always be an experienced engineer, civil or mechanical, a man possessing qualifications prescribed for full membership by the well-known Institution of Civil Engineers, or a senior Royal Engineer from the Public Works Department, with considerable local experience, and one who may be in touch with the requirements of modern engineering profession in this country.

Coming to the question of Principal Allen's "fourteen years' experience in this college" allow me to point out that even Dr. Thompson, (who retired three or four years ago), who was an eminent engineer and had considerable fame for his original publications on engineering, and who served for over 18 years in the Engineering College as a Professor of Engineering, was not thought fit to be appointed Principal of the College in preference to an R. E. from the P. W. D. This was because he was either considered out of date in the engineering profession or perhaps he had no influence with high officials.

The question of having an engineer principal at the head of an engineering college tempts me to bring to the public notice the dying condition of the school of mechanical engineering attached to the Poona Engineering College. This school is competing with the V. J. Technical School of Bombay, but, while the latter is flourishing, the former is dying, as there are now only two or three students reading in the final year. The most objectionable feature of the Poona school is that the examinations are held by the college authorities and not by any independent outside examiners, and glorious reports are sent to Government of the success attained by the school. A normal class for training teachers for technical schools was lately attached to the Poona school, but it turned out to be an absolute failure for want of qualified teachers. The original aim of the Government, as was stated in the Government Resolution, was "to train selected students as teachers for technical schools and to do away with the necessity of employing in that capacity men who are workmen of a rather superior type, and who, without exception have never made a study of scientific methods and principles and of their application to any industry or profession." This class was opened at the suggestion of the authorities of the Engineering College notwithstanding the fact that the Bombay V. J. Technical Institute was opened some *twenty* years back for the very purpose and did train a superior type of workmen and made them study scientific methods and principles. But perhaps Government meant to turn out still better students! Has the aim of the Government been fulfilled? The idea of the authorities of the Engineering College about the requirements of a normal class seem to be very funny. In this class the "selected" students were never gathered in a class room and given any special training or instructions in the art of teaching and controlling a technical school, as is done in the normal colleges for training ordinary school teachers; but the students were allowed to loaf about for a year more amongst other preparatory students, and, after sending them out for a further period of one year more in an outside workshop where they remained as apprentices, they were declared to have passed as teachers of technical schools upon which the industrial regeneration of India depends so much! The result is that the students of the normal class have not been able to find employment as teachers in any of the important technical schools, which almost without exception are now managed by passed students of the V. J. Technical Institute.

The reason of this failure is, I believe, owing to the management of our Engineering College being in the hands of impractical teachers who simply go on making various experiments and send glorious reports to Government of their supposed successes and achievements, which are shelved in the absence of a Director of Technical Education who could ably guide Government in this matter.—Yours etc.

L. D. DESHPANDE.

# THE WAR

## SUMMARY OF TELEGRAMS.

## DETAILS OF A GREAT BATTLE.

## SIR JOHN FRENCH'S APPRECIATION.

## ALLIES ASSUME OFFENSIVE.

## MAGNITUDE OF GERMAN DEFEAT IN POLAND.

In a voluminous dispatch comprising ten thousand words, Field-Marshal French surveys from day to day the operations of the Allies covering the great battle which raged round Ypres and Armentieres from early in October to the middle of November.

Reuter's excellent summary vividly conveys the magnitude and risks attached to the feat of transferring the British forces from the Aisne to Flanders in order to support the northern arm of the Allies to outflank the enemy. General Rawlinson's cavalry was supporting the Belgium army, facilitating its withdrawal from Antwerp. The battle-line was therefore formed by British forces from the Aisne advancing northward, and General Rawlinson's contingent falling back on the line of the Yser.

Field-Marshal French pays a glowing tribute to the marvellous fighting power of the British and the indomitable courage they displayed. He was also much impressed with the initiative and resource of the Indian troops, and describes their conduct and bearing in strange conditions and new surroundings, as highly satisfactory.

The development and use of the Flying Corps, Field-Marshal French says, was quite extraordinary, and the bearing of the Territorials under fire and their general efficiency are warmly

It is reported that the Allies are taking energetic offensive in Belgium and are occupying deserted German trenches.

A telegram to the "Times" from Petrograd says, it appears that the Germans on the Warta-Vistula front have been broken into three unequal fragments. One fragment may succeed in reaching the frontier but others are considered doomed.

### A FRONTIER RAID.

#### FIVE RAIDERS KILLED AND WOUNDED.

(Associated Press.)

LAHORE, Nov. 30.

The "Tribune" reports another raid on 24th November night at village Pai four miles from Gulmain, Dera Ismail Khan District.

The raiders who are said to be Bhattanis, attacked several houses but timely help was rendered by neighbouring villagers with the result that five raiders are said to have been killed and wounded.

# ALLIES ASSUME THE OFFENSIVE IN BELGIUM.

## EXTENT OF GERMAN DISASTER IN POLAND.

## BATTLE OF YPRES.

## FIELD-MARSHAL FRENCH'S DISPATCH.

### HOW THE GERMANS WERE OUTFLANKED.

### GREAT TRIBUTE TO THE TROOPS.

(Reuter's Telegrams.)

LONDON, Nov. 29.

Field-Marshal French in a detailed dispatch covering the battle of Ypres and Armentieres describes the transference of British forces from the Aisne to Flanders with the idea of bringing the utmost force to support the northern flank of the Allies and so outflank the enemy.

Field-Marshal French pays a warm tribute to the excellent feeling prevailing between the French and British which rendered this delicate operation so successful.

He shows that about this time General Rawlinson with cavalry was operating in support of the Belgian Army and assisting its withdrawal from Antwerp. Consequently the battle-line in Flanders was formed by British forces from the Aisne advancing northward and General Rawlinson falling back on the line of the Yser.

It is noteworthy that Field-Marshal French says that the position at La Bassee throughout has defied all attempts to capture it, either by the French or British.

#### GENERAL RAWLINSON'S EFFECTIVE SUPPORT.

General Rawlinson's successful operations in the neighbourhood of Ghent and Antwerp had great innuence on the course of subsequent operations. His forces fought with the utmost gallantry without supports.

A question of vital importance arose on October 19th. The Belgians after their hard fighting were exhausted and needed support to resist the enemy's threatened turning movement which lay bare the Channel ports.

Thereupon even at the risk of having to operate on an extended front elsewhere, General Haig directed the move of the First Army Corps northward of Ypres, so as to avoid such disastrous consequences as being outflanked towards Calais. General Haig's object was to advance to Thorout for the eventual capture of Bruges, and subsequently, if possible, to drive the enemy towards Ghent.

#### MARVELLOUS FIGHTING POWER OF BRITISH.

General Haig advanced but owing to large and unexpected enemy's reinforcements arriving, pressing both the British and French, he took up a position on the outskirts of Ypres.

Meanwhile the remainder of the British line was successfully resisting the enemy's desperate attacks with marvellous fighting power and indomitable courage. "No more arduous task was ever assigned to British soldiers. Never was the call answered more magnificently."

#### CONSULTATION WITH GENERAL JOFFRE.

Field-Marshal French decided, after consultation with General Joffre, to hold our lines against the enemy's attempts to outflank or break through, General Joffre promising reinforcements.

Field Marshal French says he was present with General Haig on October 31st, at the most critical moment of the whole great battle when the First Division was retiring at Hooge.

The division, however, rallied and recaptured Gheluvelt. This rally at such a time was fraught with momentous consequences. "If a single unit can be singled out for praise it is the Worcesters."

#### GERMANS BEATEN BACK.

Meantime the enemy in the centre was heavily pressing on the Third Division and Cavalry Corps. As the position of the cavalry at Saint Yves was endangered a counter-attack planned by Colonel Hunter-Western and Major Anley successfully beat the Germans back with great loss.

The staunchness of the Royal Lancasters and Lancashire Fusiliers was most commendable and they were well-handled by Lieut.-Col. Butler.

#### KAISER'S SPECIAL COMMANDS.

Field Marshal French brings to special notice the excellent work of General Poultenay and his Staff, divisional and regimental leaders and men holding a front of a very undue length with invariable success, courage, tenacity and cheerfulness.

Referring to the attack of the Prussian Guard which came from Arras with great speed and secrecy documents have been found to prove that the Guard received the Emperor's special commands to break through where their comrades had failed. They were repulsed with enormous loss.

General Haig, assisted by Divisional and Brigade commanders held the line with marvellous courage. "Words fail me to express my admiration for the incalculable services they rendered."

The First Corps was brilliantly supported by General Byng's cavalry.

#### SEVERITY OF THE LOSSES.

The names of General Bulfin and Brigadier-General Kavanagh are particularly mentioned. Also Brigadier-Generals Fitzclarence and Cavan.

The dispatch concludes: "We are now possibly in the last stages of the battle of Ypres-Armentieres. I regret the heavy casualties, but at least three times as many enemy are hors-de-combat."

### THE INDIAN TROOPS.

#### THEIR INITIATPVE AND RESOURCE.

Regarding the Indians, Field-Marshal French's dispatch says:—"Since the arrival of the Indians and the occupation of the line allotted to them, I have been much impressed by their initiative and resource. Some ruses they have employed to deceive the enemy have been attended by the best results. They have without doubt kept superior forces fronting them at bay.

#### DISTINGUISHED GALLANT CONDUCT.

The Lahore division from October 25th was heavily engaged round Neuve Chapelle. On October 28th especially the 47th Sikhs and twentieth and twenty-first companies of 3rd Sappers and Miners distinguished themselves by gallant conduct, losing heavily in officers and men.

The Indian Sappers and Miners throughout the work of this campaign have fully justified their reputation. Up to the time of the dispatch the line held by the Indians was being constantly bombarded by heavy artillery followed by infantry attacks.

#### CONDUCT AND BEARING HIGHLY SATISFACTORY.

On October 13th the 8th Gurkhas were driven from the trenches and on Nov. 2nd, the serious attack developed against the portion of the line west of Neuve Chapelle, when the line to some extent was pierced and consequently slightly bent back.

The situation was prevented from becoming serious by the excellent leadership of Colonel Norie of the Second Gurkhas. The General Officer Commanding the Indians described their conduct and bearing in strange conditions and new surroundings as highly satisfactory. "I am able from my own observation fully to corroborate the statement."

### THE FLYING CORPS.

#### EXTRAORDINARY DEVELOPMENT.

(Reuter's Special War Service.)

Field-Marshal French says:

"The development and use of the Flying Corps has been quite extraordinary. I feel sure that no effort should be spared to increase the numbers and perfect its equipment and efficiency."

### TERRITORIALS AND YEOMANRY.

#### THEIR EFFICIENCY AND BEARING.

Regarding the Territorials he says: "The conduct and bearing of the Territorials and Yeomanry under fire and their efficiency have imbued me with the highest hope of the value of the help of the Territorial troops generally."

### PART THE ALLIES ARE PLAYING.

The dispatch comprises ten thousand words and surveys from day to day the operations from early in October to the middle of November. It says the value and significance of the role of the Allies in the West lie in the fact that when the eastern provinces of Germany are in imminent danger of being over-run by the Russians, nearly the whole of the active German Army is tied down to the line of trenches from Verdun to Nieuport, where they are held much reduced in numbers and morale.

Field-Marshal French pays a special tribute to the artillery. In spite of the great range and shell-power of German guns ours have succeeded in preventing the enemy from establishing anything in the nature of artillery superiority. The skill, courage and energy of artillery commanders has been very marked.

### PROTECTING INDIAN TROOPS FROM CREDITORS.

#### EUROPEAN ASSOCIATION'S SUGGESTION.

(Associated Press.)

CALCUTTA, Nov. 30.

A letter has been sent from the Secretary, European Association, to the Secretary, Home Department, Government of India, drawing the latter's attention to letters in "The Times," from General Sir O'Moore Creagh and Mr. A. Yusuf Ali. The letters referred to suggest that steps should be taken to prevent village banias from extorting usurious interest and obtaining decrees through Indian courts against the wives and families of the members of the Indian Expeditionary Force.

The Council of the Association disapproves of the suggested schemes of grants from the Indian Relief Fund. The Council thinks that the proper course is to pass a short act prohibiting all proceedings against the members of the force during their absence, also against their wives and families, reducing the interest on all loans and debts to 6 per cent. with a proviso that the period of absence should not be reckoned for the purposes of limitation, finally a provision making it a criminal offence by entailing penalty of five years' rigorous imprisonment to take or attempt to take such proceedings in civil courts. The Council further points out that in this country there are all sorts of devices and plans for evading civil law and even if something in the nature of a moratorium as regards these troops' debts was provided solely by civil legislation, it would be evaded. The Council are therefore strongly of opinion that the only method of dealing with the matter is to invoke criminal law as indicated. Troops and recruits would then understand that real and serious measures had been taken for their protection.

### KAISER'S IMPUDENT MESSAGE TO MIKADO.

(Associated Press.)

LAHORE, Nov. 30.

A special cable to the "Civil and Military Gazette" states:—

In explanation of Mr. Balfour's reference at the Guildhall to the vigorous reply Japan made to one of the most impudent messages ever sent by one monarch to another, a Petrograd paper states that the Kaiser wrote to the Mikado offering peace on any terms conditionally on Japan attacking Russia. The Mikado replied that Japan was incapable of a crime comparable to Germany's violation of the Belgian neutrality treaty and handed the message to the British Ambassador.

### WAR GAZETTEER.

The following places are mentioned in today's telegrams:—

Strykow.—A town of Poland on an affluent of the Bzura, 30 miles W. N. W. of Rawa.

Zgierz.—A town of Poland 18 miles S. E. of Lenczy.

Zdunskavolia.—A town of Poland in the Government of Kalisch.

Glovno.—A small town of Poland on the Mroga, 13 miles S. W. of Lowicz.

Sobotta.—A town of Poland on the left bank of the Bzura, 37 miles N. W. of Rawa.

Ypres.—A Belgian town, and 8 miles from the French frontier.

Armentieres.—On the Lys, 12 miles W. N. W. of Lille, near the Belgian frontier.

La Bassee.—Te nmiles north of Lens.

Thorout.—A Belgian town, 11 miles S. W. of Bruges.

Bruges.—On the Belgian coast, eight miles from the sea and 14 miles E. of Ostend.

St. Yves.—A commune of Belgian in the prov. of Blabant.

Ghent.—In Flanders at the confluence of the Lys and the Scheldt, 34 miles N. W. of Brussels.

Arras.—23 miles N. W. of Cambrai.

Chernowitz.—In Bukovina (Austria) 87 miles S. E. of Tamopol.

Czentochowa.—A town of Russian Poland near the frontier of Silesia.

## WITH THE ALLIES.

### VIGOROUS OFFENSIVE ASSUMED.

### DESERTED GERMAN TRENCHES OCCUPIED.

(Reuter's Telegrams.)

PARIS, Nov. 30.

It is understood that four German Army Corps have been transferred from Belgium to Poland.

It is reported that the Allies are taking energetic offensive south of the Ypres and are occupying deserted German trenches.

### EFFECTIVE ARTILLERY PRACTICE.

PARIS, Nov. 29.

This afternoon's communique says: "The enemy's artillery was more active yesterday but was carried out particularly with the seventy-seven millimetre guns.

"The enemy's heavy artillery was little in evidence. Thus the conditions of the artillery duel turned everywhere to our advantage.

"Our infantry captured various *points d'appui* northward and southward of Ypres.

"Three regiments of the enemy attacked northward of Arras, but were completely beaten after several attacks and counter-attacks.

"We made perceptible progress between Somme and Chaulnes reaching the entanglements of the village of Fay.

"Our artillery between Vailly and Berry-au-Bac destroyed a machine-gun detachment and emplacements for thirty centimetre guns. One shell caused an explosion in the enemy's battery.

"We successively repulsed three German counter-attacks when the enemy attempted to recapture lost ground at Bandesapt in the Vosges."

PARIS, Nov. 30.

Last night's communiqué said: "Quiet prevailed along the whol efront except in Argonne where the German attacks were no more successful than before."

### WITHHOLDING OF GOODS FROM MARKETS.

#### INDIA GOVERNMENT'S ACTION.

(Associated Press.)

DELHI, Nov. 30.

An emergency having arisen an Ordinance is notified by a Gazette of India Extraordinary empowering the Governor-General in Council generally, also each Local Government individually, to call for information as to stocks of articles of commerce and to make searches for same, also to take possession of any stocks unreasonably withheld from the market, also to fix compensation for same.

It is also notified that any article of commerce if unreasonably withheld from the market, the penalties for withholding the information or obstructing in this connection are also appointed up to the extent of six months' imprisonment with a fine of Rs. 1,000.

Rules regarding powers under the Ordinance are also laid down and no court may call into question any order or award made under this Ordinance and no suit for protection or other legal proceeding shall be directed against any person or anything which is in good faith done or intended to be done under this Ordinance.

### PROJECT E RAID ON A TREASURY.

#### POLICE OFFICERS SHOT DEAD.

LAHORE, Nov. 30.

A serious affair is reported from Ferozeshahr in Ferozepore District. On Friday night a police sub-inspector and a zaildar were on patrol duty at Ferozeshahr police station.

A band of men aroused their suspicion. On being accosted they fired revolvers killing both the sub-inspector and zaildar. Villagers and police then turned out and attacked the dacoits killing one and arresting eight. About six of them escaped. The gang probably intended to loot the treasury at Moga.

The Calcutta Scottish Volunteers have acquired a thirty yards rifle range at Behala 4 miles north of Calcutta on land loaned to the the corps by the Hon. Babu Surendra Nath Roy, member of the Bengal Legislative Council. The range was opened on Sunday by Brigadier-General Money, commanding the Presidency Brigade.

## VISTULA-WARTA BATTLE.

### GERMANS BROKEN INTO THREE FRAGMENTS.

### TWO CONSIDERED DOOMED.

(Reuter's Telegrams.)

LONDON, Nov. 30.

A telegram to the "Times" from Petrograd says, it appears that the Germans on the Warta-Vistula front have been broken into three unequal fragments, one of which succeeded in piercing the Russians at Brezin. One fragment may succeed in reaching the frontier but others are considered doomed.

#### STUBBORN FIGHTING.

#### GERMANS COUNTER-ATTACKING.

PETROGRAD, Nov. 29.

It is officially stated that: "Between the Vistula and Warta rivers the Germans continue to hold a fortified position on the line Strykow-Zgierz-Schadek-Zdunskavolia.

There has been most stubborn fighting at Strykow-Zgierz, where we captured guns and mitrailleuses and hundreds of prisoners.

We captured the position of Glovno-Biehawy-Sobota.

The Germans on the left bank of the Vistula are counter-attacking."

#### AUSTRIANS DEFEATED.

PETROGRAD, Nov. 29.

It is officially stated here that according to prisoners the German losses are enormous. Many battalions have lost all their officers and companies have been reduced to six and eight men.

There have been no engagements of importance on the Czenstochowa-Cracow front.

The Austrian army which defended the Eastern approach to Cracow on the Szreniava and Raba rivers was defeated on Thursday and is being pursued and driven back on the fortress.

We captured in the Carpathians on Friday twelve-hundred Austrians.

The enemy troops in Bukovina are retreating precipitately. We have reoccupied Czernowitz. We drove the Germans in the region of the Masurian lakes on their fortified positions.

#### KAISER IN POLAND.

BERLIN, Nov. 30.

It is officially announced that the Kaiser has gone to the Eastern front.

#### RUMANIA AND AUSTRIA.

LONDON, Nov. 30.

Austria is bringing pressure to bear on Rumania to withdraw prohibition of the export of petroleum.

#### REPORTED GERMAN NAVAL LOSS.

LONDON, Nov. 30.

The "Matin" has received unconfirmed reports from Petrograd that a German cruiser has been sunk near Libau and also that a German battleship has struck a mine and sunk.

### CASUALTY LIST

(Reuter's Special War Service.)

LONDON, Nov. 29.

The following casualties are announced:—

KILLED.

Capt. H. A. Grant, Lieut. Blacket, Second-Lieut. M. Seton-Browne, all of the Leicestershire Regiment.

Lieut. J. Jackson, Medicals.

### ISLE OF MAN ALIENS.

#### CORONER'S VERDICT.

(Associated Press.)

A "Civil and Military Gazette" cable says:—

At the inquest at Douglas, Isle of Man, of the aliens killed whilst attempting to escape, the Coroner's jury found that the alien prisoners were killed on Thursday by justifiable measures forced on the authorities by the riotousness of a large section of the interned men. The evidence showed that the signal for the commencement of the riot was the display of a hand made of cardboard coloured red.

## FALSE RUMOURS.

### ORGANISED CAMPAIGN OF MISREPRESENTATION.

### SUGGESTIONS TO THE GOVERNMENT.

The following letter has been sent by the Secretary of the European Association to the Secretary to the Government of India, Home Department:—

Sir,—I am directed by the Council of this Association to call the attention of Government to a matter of some importance.

It is evident that the German authorities, as part of a prepared and considered plan for the conduct of the war, have started an organised campaign of misrepresentations and false information not only in their own countries but in others.

This Association on September 5th, 1914, addressed Government pointing out that misrepresentations and false rumours were being circulated and suggesting that all Germans should be interned as they constituted a public danger. A large number of enemy subjects have been interned but misrepresentations continue. Whether or not these are directly or indirectly traceable still to German influence it is impossible to say, but the fact remains that the seed has been sown in the more important cities and is bearing fruit in the remotest places to which many facilities for communication exist. It is true that educated and informed opinion has, to some extent, modified the exaggeration in such places as Calcutta and Bombay and yet in the former City false rumours are still rife even among the more intelligent classes. The President o this Association, in his professional capacity, was lately consulted by a native banker as to whether or not if Bengal became a German province, the Germans would meet the obligations of Government and pay the dividends on Government Paper. Upon his ridiculing the idea of such a contingency and enquiring what grounds there were for anxiety, his client told him he was credibly informed that, the Germans having taken Antwerp, and having a number of Zeppelins, the fall of London was imminent. Similar extravagant stories have reached other members of my Council. Moreover the reports sedulously circulated by as German agency in Europe that the Indian troops had been removed in order to prevent their joining in a native rising has not been slow in reaching this city. In the more important Mofussil stations the presence of European British subjects has had some slight effect in checking the spread of false war news. In all cities, large or small, the petty traders have taken advantage of alarmist rumours to put up prices and have also spread them for the same purpose and thus are, ultimately, direct agencies for the dissemination of mischievous rumours amongst the illiterate population of the more remote villages. That deliberate dissemination of false news is rampant is open to no doubt whatever and that its effects are attended with grave risks in this country, is obvious.

It appears to my Council that the only remedy lies in providing facilities for the people to arrive at the true facts and that it is highly advisable that the Government should make an effort to publish, as widely as possible, authentic information regarding the true state of affairs. My Council have been gratified to note that the Bombay Government have already taken steps in this direction by providing material for lectures on the causes of the war and the conditions under which it is waged, but they venture to submit that this does not go quite far enough, as information so given can scarcely reach more than a very limited class of the population. My Council therefore have the honour to suggest that the following methods be employed for the dissemination of correct information.

(1) That the native quarters of the large cities and all railway stations be placarded, in the vernacular, with authentic intelligence.

(2) That leaflets be distributed through Sub-Divisional Officers, Police or preferably Railway Stations and Post Masters in the Districts.

(3) That the services of Mullahs, Gurus and other influential Indians be invited for the same purpose.

The information given might with advantage include such facts as—

(a) The magnificent loyalty and devotion of the Indian Princes especially the Nizam of Hyderabad and the Aga Khan.

(b) The immense power, numerical armed strength and financial resources of the Allies.

(c) The successes of the Allied Armies.

(d) Some striking facts regarding the treatment of Indians in German Colonies and the atrocities perpetrated by German troops in France and Belgium.

My Council direct me to say that, as has already been communicated, the assistance of his Association is at the service of Government and they are prepared to invite all its Branches to co-operate in assisting in circulating such information and inviting the co-operation of the leaders of the various communities in a concerted cause of action.

## LADY PIERSE'S NAVAL FUND.

We are asked to state that the subscriptions to Lady Pierse's Naval Fund in Bombay now amount to Rs. 5,193-2-0. Ceylon has contributed Rs. 3,687 and Rangoon Rs 5,179. Gifts in kind are being generously forwarded to the Fund, but as further donations are urgently requested of sweaters, towels, mits or kneecaps, all kinds of games, books, soap, stockings, cholera belts etc., Messrs. Cox and Co., Bankers of Hornby Road, have been authorized to receive and give receipts for the same.

Tired and worn out? Restore your lost energy—Stearns' Wine of Cod Liver Extract increases your vitality—makes the daily tasks a pleasure—feel fresh when through. 180—B18.

## BOMBAY BUDGET.

### FURTHER DISCUSSION BY STANDING COMMITTEE.

A special meeting of the Municipal Standing Committee was held yesterday afternoon in the Municipal Council Hall, the Chairman, Mr. Cawasji Jehangir presiding, when further consideration was resumed of the budget estimates submitted by the Municipal Commissioner, Mr. P. R. Cadell, C. I. E., for the year 1915-1916.

Dr. S. S. Batliwalla continued the debate. He said that the Commissioner was perfectly justified in taking a pessimistic view in framing the budget, and making necessary reductions. He, however, wished to suggest that the amounts to be spent after the improvement of foot-paths and lighting in the north of the island should not be dispensed with as recommended by the Commissioner. In the north of the island they had oil lamps, and much inconvenience and annoyance was caused and daring robberies committed, owing to insufficient lighting, and he thought that the paltry sum of Rs. 14,000 should not be left in abeyance as the nuisance needed to be remedied.

Mr. N. V. Mandlik agreed with Dr. Batliwalla so far as the lighting in the north of the island was concerned.

Mr. A. M. Tod thought that the lighting in the north of the island was not so bad, and it would be wise to suspend the expenditure on that head. Referring to Dr. Sukhia's contention to reduce the salaries of the staff, he said that it would be infinitely better if the landlords, instead of asking the municipal subordinates to go through a self-denying ordinance, gave up part of their profits. They would then be doing a good turn to the city, if they paid a part of the profits they had realised in the past from the general public.

Sir Sassoon J. David thought that there was no reason to be pessimistic about their water revenue, as the mills doing dyeing and bleaching work would require a large quantity of water.

Mr. C. V. Mehta observed that this was a most appropriate budget. It was not unduly pessimistic, and with regard to the revenue from town duties it was a little optimistic. He observed that he could not realise how the two sides would be balanced if the various proposals of Dr. Sukhia were carried out. At a time like this there should be no reduction in taxation. In conclusion, he congratulated the Commissioner on the fine budget that he had prepared.

### COMMISSIONER'S REPLY.

The Commissioner said that he had not taken a pessimistic view about the water revenue. Several mills were working only three days in a week and the railways were taking a less quantity of water. Coming to the general revenue, he said that since the budget was framed he expected to realise more than one lakh from assessment from the Government and the Port Trust. In spite of that, he thought it was unwise to reduce the general tax. With regard to the lighting in the north of the island, he said that it was not so bad as it was in former years and they could postpone the expenditure there. In conclusion the Commissioner said that in framing this budget he had not taken a pessimistic view, but he had done so to increase their balance for two reasons. Firstly, they might have to face serious deficits, and therefore a large balance was useful to them. The second reason was that they must hold a large balance for and floating their loans. For, if they might not get money in open market, they would have to go to the Banks and it was, therefore, safe to frame the budget as he had.

Dr. N. H. Sukhia then explained that his suggestion for reducing the salaries of the municipal employees also applied to the members of the Standing Committee, who came under the same section of the act with regard to payment.

This concluded the general debate and the Committee proceeded to consider the budget item by item.

On the item of the general tax being reached, Dr. Sukhia proposed a reduction of one per cent in the tax on the ground that ratepayers had suffered much owing to the war. The proposal dropped for want of a seconder, and the tax as proposed by the Commissioner was approved.

Further proposals of Dr. Sukhia to reduce the town duty on grain from six annas to three annas and to abolish it on firewood, also fell for want of a seconder.

The revenue side as proposed by the Commissioner was then passed by the Committee.

### DR. SUKHIA'S PROPOSALS.

On the expenditure side being reached, Dr. Sukhia moved that the fees of the members of the Standing Committee be reduced by ten per cent.

The Chairman pointed out that that was out of order under the Act, but Dr. Sukhia could give special notice of motion requesting the members to do so.

Dr. Sukhia therefore moved that considering the present exceptional circumstances of the Municipality, it was desirable that the members of the Standing Committee should be pleased to refund ten per cent of their fees.

The proposal fell for want of a seconder, the Commissioner remarking that he would accept with thanks any contribution that members might make to the municipal funds.

Dr. Sukhia next moved that a reduction of ten per cent be made in the salaries of their staff, who are earning more than Rs. 100 per month.

Mr. C. V. Mehta raised a point of order, observing that it was illegal to do so.

The Chairman said he was doubtful about the point, but he would let Dr. Sukhia move his proposition.

The proposal, however, fell for want of a seconder.

Dr. Sukhia next moved that the staff be requested to give a refund of ten per cent. The proposal dropped for want of a seconder.

The expenditure side was then passed with a modification, namely, of making a grant of Rs. 20,000 for footpaths on the motion of Mr. C. V. Mehta.

This concluded the consideration of the budget by the Standing Committee.

## EXAMPLE AND PRECEPT.

To the Editor of "The Chronicle."

Sir,—With reference to the correspondence over the misapplied nome-de-plume of "Justice" under the heading "Example and Precept" in your issue of the 27th inst. in which the writer makes a cowardly attack, let me for his edification say that all members of the Corporation and the Standing Committee and officers are, under Section 521 of the Municipal Act, considered "public servants" and as such whosoever drew from the Municipal fund more than Rs. 100 per mensem was by my suggestion liable for the payment of 10 to 15 per cent. on his salary or fee. From what has transpired it is well-known that a malicious fellow has made a booby his scape-goat, and after their edification as to my suggestion being applicable to the Standing Committee members as well to the officers and servants they must thank themselves for their impudence and ignorance.—Yours, etc.,

NADIRSHAW H. E. SUKHIA.

## THE LATE LIEUT. BOWERS.

### UNVEILING OF A MEMORIAL TABLET.

The memorial to Lieut. Bowers, R.I.M., who lost his life with Capt. Scott on the return journey from the South Pole, was unveiled in St. Thomas' Cathedral, Bombay, yesterday evening by his Excellency the Governor. His Excellency was accompanied by Lady Willingdon. The ceremony was attended by all the officers of the R.I.M., in Bombay, and a number of military officers.

The ceremony commenced with the singing of the hymn "O God Our Help in Ages Past," and this was followed by a shortened service appropriate to the occasion conducted by the Bishop of Bombay, the Right Rev. Dr. Palmer, and the Ven. Archdeacon Barham.

After the lesson his Excellency unveiled the tablet, which was very plain in design and symbolical of the heroic death that Lieut. Bowers died. The tablet was of white marble with a wreath of flowers at the top and bore the following inscription:—

"To the glory of God and sacred to the memory of Henry Robertson Bowers, a lieutenant of the Royal Indian Marine, who lost his life in the Scott Antarctic Expedition on the return journey from the Pole on or about the 27th March 1912, aged 28 years.

"'As the troubles have thickened about us his dauntless spirit ever shone brighter and he has remained cheerful, hopeful and indomitable to the end,' R. F. Scott.

"This tablet was erected by his brother officers on the active and retired list as a mark of their admiration of his zeal and integrity at all times."

Beneath was a representation of the Arctic Continent, and of the rough cross which marks the graves of the heroes who die in those far off desolate lands.

His Excellency's speech in performing the ceremony was brief. He said:—

I consider it a great privilege to be present in this sacred building to-day, and to assist you in doing honour to the memory of one who was well-known to many of you, and whose life through his profession was intimately connected with this city and this country.

He left us for the polar regions full of the spirit of adventure, full of hope, full of ambition, but the rigours of the climate of those regions claimed his life; he faced his fate as an Englishman should, and died doing his duty.

May we not all of us to-day, especially at this time of stress and strain for every citizen of our Empire, take heart from the splendid example of fearlessness and courage that characterised Lieut. Bowers's death, and when the griefs and sorrows of time and circumstance lie heavy upon us, always remember that there is a Divine Providence who by his inscrutable design is guiding as He wills the steps of each one of us in this life, and in that faith be always ready to meet our fate like this young man whose memory we are perpetuating to-day, determined always and ever to do our duty.

## STANDARD BAROMETER READING.

**The following information is published in order that vessels in the Bombay Harbour may by comparison with a standard instrument, ascertain the errors of their barometers:—**

**The reading of the Standard Barometer at the Colaba Observatory corrected for index error and reduced to 80 deg. F. and to the level of the tide, at 8-45 a.m. Standard Time on the 30th November 1914, was 30·001 inches. For temperature corrections applicable to mercurial barometers of ships the reading of the ship's barometer has to be increased or decreased by 0.18 inch. for every 5 degrees according as the temperature of the attached thermometer is respectively below or above 80 deg. F. In case of the aneroid no temperature or correction is needed. But for comparison at 80 F. all aneroid reading should be increased by 138 inch. For correcting the ship's barometer either mercurial or aneroid for height of the barometer cistern above the tide level in the stream at 8-45 a.m. Standard Time, the ship's barometer reading should be increased by 0.10 inch. for every 10 feet of the height to make it comparable with the observatory barometer reading given above.**

Too much night work, head aches, roll and toss, can't sleep? Enjoy your rest, take Stearns' Headache Cure. One wafer does the work. 180—17

## BOMBAY POLICE COURTS.

### BACK BAY INCIDENT.

### POLICE SEPOY'S POWERS.

At the Esplanade Police Court, yesterday, the Chief Presidency Magistrate resumed the hearing of the cases in which Lt.-Col. S. H. Burnett, and Mr. D. J. Dhondy charged each other with insult and assault respectively. Mr. Baker of Messrs. Little and Co., solicitors, appeared for Col. Burnett, and Messrs. C. Vanuga, B. J. Dhondi, and K. F. Nariman, for Mr. D. J. Dhondy.

Mahadeo Vishnu, P. C. 1528, said Mr. Dhondy came to him about 8 or 8-15 p.m. on the day in question and told him the saheb who was going away had assaulted him, and he asked him to get his name. Witness went up to Col. Burnett and asked him in Hindustani for his name. Col. Burnett gave no reply, whereupon witness asked Mr. Dhondy to speak to Col. Burnett in English, give him his name and ask for his. Mr. Dhondy spoke to Col. Burnett and subsequently told witness that the Colonel would not give his name. Witness then again approached Colonel Burnett and told him to come to his Inspector if he would not give his name to him. The Colonel asked who the Inspector was and when witness told him it was Mr. Sutton he said he did not know Mr. Sutton and walked up Walkeshwar Road. Witness then reported the mater to his jemadar, who asked him to follow the Colonel and notice what bungalow he went to. Witness and Mr. Dhondy engaged a victoria and followed the Colonel as far as Government House Gate. The Colonel entered the compound and they waited near the gate for about 25 minutes. The Colonel subsequently came out, when the jemadar asked for his name, which, however, was not given. They followed him along the Ridge Road, and telephoned to the Inspector to come up. They next followed him down the Siri Road to Chowpatti, thence along Queen's Road to Dhobi Talao and eventually to the Head Police Office, which was at about 10-30 p.m.

Cross-examined by Mr. Baker, the witness said that at Chowpatti Col. Burnett asked him who was his saheb. He asked this after witness had asked for his name and told him he should come to the Inspector if he did not give his name to witness.

The Magistrate: Under what powers did you ask Col. Burnett for his name?

The witness: We have orders that if a person comes and makes a complaint, we must get the name of the accused.

And take him to the Police Station whatever the complaint is?—No. If he does not give his name, he should explain the matter to the Inspector.

If he does not give his name, you take him to the Inspector?—No. My orders are to make proper enquiries whether there had been an assault or not.

Your station was at Siri Road and the alleged assault took place in another part of the town, and your orders are to make enquiries in those cases also?—When a complaint is made to me, I must make an enquiry. I did not want to make an enquiry in this case but simply wanted to get Col. Burnett's name.

When people do not give their name, what orders have you about following them?—The Jemadar who was at the "chowkie" ordered me to see where the Colonel was going.

Before that, you followed Col. Burnett from Siri Road to the Chowkie?—I did not follow him but I went to report the matter to the jemadar. The Colonel was going along the same road.

Have you orders to follow people?—We have orders to get their name.

And follow them if they do not give their name?—I had to give an explanation to the jemadar and so I went to him to take instructions.

Cross-examined by Mr. Baker, the witness said Mr. Dhondy wanted to go inside the Government House compound but the Policeman on duty there told him he could not go in. Witness did not follow Col. Burnett into the compound but another police man did so under the orders of the Acting jemadar, Bahudin. The jemadar was not in uniform.

The hearing was again adjourned.

## ALLEGED SEDITIOUS LITERATURE.

At the Esplanade Police Court, yesterday, Khan Saheb Kavasji Petigara, of the Criminal Investigation Department, applied to the Third Presidency Magistrate for a notice against Y. J. Shastri calling upon him to show cause why he should not be bound over under section 108 of the Criminal Procedure Code on a charge of abetting the dissemination of seditious leaflets.

Khan Saheb Petigara stated that about the 15th August last Shastri sent by post from Calcutta to B. Sunder Ramaya, Bombay, a parcel containing 164 copies of a seditious leaflet, entitled "Solemn Declaration—Liberty—The Divine Heritage of Man." Ramaya, who received the parcel four days later, found in it 82 envelopes each containing two of these leaflets. 80 of these were addressed to different persons in the Madras Presidency, and he, under instructions from Shastri which had been enclosed in the same parcel, stamped the envelopes and posted them. The remaining two envelopes, which were unaddressed and contained four leaflets, were distributed in Bombay. Shastri had recently come to Bombay.

The Magistrate granted the application.

## CAUSE LIST.

BOARD FOR TUESDAY, THE 1ST OF DECEMBER, 1914.

Before the Hon'ble Sir Dinsha D. Davar.

In the Division Court No. 40.

For Consent Decree.

1011-14—Pandia and Co, Vithal Govind alias Vithal Raja v Sale Mahomed Dharamsey and ors, Matubhai J and M.

428-14—Manecklal and Co, Bai Monghivahu widow v Vasantrao Madhusudan, Nanu H and Co.

For hearing on Exceptions to Comr's Report.

576-13—Captain and V. Esmail Haji Noor Mahomed Cassam v Bai Hirabai, Khanderao L and M.

1134-12—Unwalla P and P, Valibai widow v Goculdas Karsondas, Madhowji K and C.

Suit for hearing and final disposal.

Testamentary Suits.

5-14—Smetham B and Co, Bai Kashi widow v Nanashanker Mahashanker and anr, Jamsetji R and D.

13-14—Purnanand Gopaldas Ghadially v Krishnabai widow and anr, Nanu H and Co.

Long Causes.

961-13—Edgelow G W and Co, Mulji Cursondas v Madhowji Thakersey and Co a firm, Payne and Co.

437-14—Little and Co, The India Specie Bank Limited in Liquidation v Keshrichand Rupchand, Edgelow G W and Co.

1029-13—Tyabji D and Co, The Advocate-General of Bombay v Benkuvarbai and ors, Madhowjee K and C, Mirza M and M.

372-14—Ardeshir H D and Co, Haji Ebrahim Haji Ismail v Mahomed Haji Ismail, Mans H M and Co.

449-12—Payne and Co, Dady Nasserwanji Dady and ors v Heerji Ardeshir Dady and ors, Patell and Ez, Dastur and Co.

507-14—Khunderao L and M, Khumaji Gujaji and Co a firm v Dayabhai Chotalal and anr, C P D'Cunha.

1180-13—Wadia G and Co, Sakinabai widow v Bai Kazbai widow and ors, Shroff D and D.

371-14—Jehangir M and S, Bachibai widow v Goolam Hoosein Cassam Visram and anr, Pestonji R K and Co, Jehangir S M and H.

579-14—Edgelow G W and Co, Harivallabhdas Bechardas and anr v Manoher Virji and anr, Ardeshir H D and Co, Edgelow G W and Co.

51-93—Mirza M and M, Halimabai and anr v Amirbibi widow and ors, S A Tyabjee, Tyabjee D and Co.

Before the Hon'ble Mr. Justice Beaman.

In the Division Court No. 53.

Suits for hearing and final disposal.

Short Causes.

1017-13—Jehangir G and B, Hamjabhoy Essufally v Pitamberdas Mohanlal and ors, Motichand and D, Part heard, 24-11-14.

618-14—Unwalla P and Papa, Kaikhusru Sorabji Vakil and ors v Bejonji Sorabji Vakil and ors, Jehangir S M and H.

651-14—Payne and Co, The Indian and Peninsular Steam Navigation Co Ltd v Abdul Karim A S Jamal, Edgelow G W and Co.

659-14—Payne and Co, The Indian and Peninsular Steam Navigation Co Ltd v Mahomed Esmail Mahomedy.

660-14—Payne and Co, The Indian and Peninsular Steam Navigation Co Ltd v Devindra Nath Ballow.

662-14—Payne and Co, The Indian and Peninsular Steam Navigation Co Ltd v Lieutenant-Colonel Rusicklal Datt Crawford B and Co.

724-14—Sabnis and Gore, Hormusji Dadabhoy Karanjia v Erachashaw Dadabhoy Karanjia, Dubash and Co.

814-14—Payne and Co, Rahim Valli Mahomed v Nathoo Moorar.

849-14—Surajmal and Co, Praga Pauna and Co a firm v Harjiwan Virji and ors, Little and Co.

964-14—Mulji and Tha, Gangadas Mangaldas v M Damodhar Brothers, Rustomji and G.

1004-14—Dubash and Co, Ramgopal Madhowprasad a firm v Madangopal Sukhdeodas and anr.

1072-14—Little and Co, Weld and Co a firm v Edalji Hormusji Kapadia and anr.

1093-14—J A Valles, Peter Paul Mendenca v Sabastian Gastano mendenca, Rustomji K and Co.

1132-14—Purnanand and Co, Jamnadas Morarji v Bhagwandas Harjiwan and anr, Daphtary F and D.

1142-14—Smetham B and Co, Sha Dewji Poonsi v Sha Keshowji Ghella.

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### CHRISTMAS GIFT FOR SOLDIERS IN THE GULF AND IN AFRICA.

A gift that will be greatly appreciated by the troops sent from India to the Persian Gulf and to East Africa has been made by the directors of the Taj Mahal Hotel. This consists of Christmas puddings, 200 of which, weighing ten pounds each, were sent to Lady Willingdon yesterday and will be despatched from Government House to the two theatres of war mentioned.

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## ITALY AND THE ALLIES.

"An Italian Resident" in Calcutta writes to "The Statesfan."—During the past few days a very persistent rumour has been spread about in the bazaar that Italy is going to join in the war on the side of Germany and Austria. I do not pretend to know how this rumour began but I can only suppose it is originated from the same mendacious factory which has fed the bazaar with lies since the war began—lies, each one of which, after a day or two of robust existence, has died to the shame and confusion of those whom they may have deceived. Most of the lies of the past four months could be treated with contempt and ignored—but this last one about Italy is worth a little notice. I can say this, that from the leading Italian papers which I receive regularly it is clear that the feeling of every party in Italy is strongly and entirely in favour of the Allies and that if sooner or later the neutrality of Italy must be broken such a breach can only be in favour of England and her Allies. Italy fully understands what the Allies are fighting for—not for aggression or conquest but for civilisation and liberty and freedom from the Teutonic yoke. The issues are as clear to-day as when Italy declared her neutrality. Nothing has since happened to obscure them in the eyes of Italy. Indeed her eyes have been only too widely opened by the events in Belgium. Italy remembers her own struggle for independence and now she will not forget who was then her constant friend, a friend whose might is now on the side of right.

Moreover I am daily in telegraphic communication with many of the leading Italian manufacturers and with the head office of my firm in Italy and no uneasiness is shown in accepting orders from India for forward business. Evidently if there were any basis of truth in these silly bazaar rumours business would not be done as freely between the two countries as it is done to-day.

## PURITY OF UNIVERSITY ELECTIONS.

To the Editor of "The Chronicle."

Sir,—The registered graduates of the University of Bombay, are, one presumes, an educated community who ought to know what is and is not a bribe, whatever the outward form it takes. Now almost every year there is an election to the Fellowship of the University by this constituency, and during the last five years or so a practice seems to have grown up on the part of a candidate to "advance" the registration fee of some graduates who thus remain upon or are for the first time enrolled upon the register, and vote for the candidate in question. Whether and when such "advances" are repaid is of course a matter of private accounts between the parties, about which no responsible person can venture on a definite statement one way or the other, without firsthand information. And yet for the last five years or so reliable persons have been heard to state quite freely that in a number of such cases the "advances" are never repaid. One also hears in interested circles estimates of the cost of an election based upon the assumption that such "advances" are in fact payments for securing votes, coupled with the opinion that only such votes can be counted upon as really certain votes so that whoever purchases the largest number would have the best chance of winning the election.

This year the situation has developed. One candidate has definitely promised from the first that he will on no account make any such "advances" or payments. And this letter I am publishing (with your courtesy) is a further assurance, if any were needed, that the promise will be adhered to absolutely. But now another candidate comes forward, a gentleman with a high position of long standing in the public life of the Presidency, and it is being freely stated on his behalf that "advances" of the character above described will be made. The question therefore arises how far such statements are inspired and authorized. The gentleman concerned may treat such a question as beneath his notice, preferring to maintain a golden silence. But graduates, registered as well as intending to be registered, who are keen about the reputation of their University, ought to seize this opportunity and help in restoring the purity of its elections, by insisting upon every candidate telling them distinctly when he asks for their votes, whether any votes are going to be purchased for him by the payment of registration fees.—Yours, etc.,

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### JACOBABAD-KUSHMORE FEEDER.

The commissioner-in-Sind, the Hon. Mr. R. F. Barrow, I.C.S., on Saturday, performed the ceremony of opening, at Jacobabad, in the presence of a large assembly of influential men, the new feeder railway of 77 miles in length from Jacobabad to Kushmore, built by Messrs. Forbes, Forbes, Campbell & Co., Karachi, Agents to Upper Sind Light Railways, Limited. Karachi and Jacobabad are the extremities of the province of Sind, and the party which went out with the Commissioner, at the invitation of the Company, to participate in the inaugural ceremony, had thus to traverse the province at its greatest length, from its sea frontier to its land frontier. Jacobabad marks the borderland between Sind and the province of Baluchistan, and Kushmore marks the border-land between Sind and the province of the Punjab, and thus the new railway is a border railway—bringing into the sphere of commerce, as the British administration has already brought into the sphere of civilisation, what was once a wild prairie where cattle-ranchers bore submissively, because helplessly, the depredations of the hill clansmen.

The Karachi party, entraining at dinner-time on Friday, reached Jacobabad at breakfast time on Saturday after a full night's undisturbed sleep in the train, thanks to the special arrangements made by Messrs. Forbes, Forbes, Campbell and Company, the managing agents. Near to the railway station of the North-Western Railway's broad-gauge railway which runs through Jacobabad to Quetta, and in fact forming an annexe to the Jacobabad railway station, lies the terminus of the new feeder railway. At this terminus a large red-carpeted marquee had been erected for the ceremony; and under the grateful shade of this canvas—for even a November morning sun in Jacobabad can be excessively genial—the Commissioner-in-Sind took his seat on a chair of state, surrounded by the party from Karachi (reinforced by the Deputy Commissioner of the Sind Frontier, Mr. J. R. Martin, I.C.S., and other officers of Jacobabad) and faced by the leading local Sindhi and Baluchi gentry. The Hon. Mr. M. de P. Webb, C.I.E., Chairman of Upper Sind Light Railways, presided.

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Her Excellency first pointed to a Hindu boy, barely three months in school and asked the teachers to begin with him, and as she was being gradually initiated into the intricate art of teaching the dumb to articulate mere monosyllables as "ah" and "pa," she frequently expressed her great interest and wonderment. The advanced pupils were next tested as to their progress in lip-reading, and both they as well as some of the ex-pupils gave a very good account of themselves. It was particularly pathetic to see two European lads, both brothers, examine each other in the multiplication tables. One of the old boys on being questioned by Her Excellency as to what he was doing, informed her that he was a draughtsman in the G. I. P. Railway, and added that he was getting Rs. 115 with an annual increment of Rs. 10.

Her Excellency was then shown over the Industrial School attached to the Institution,—the Carpentry and Weaving classes, and seemed much interest, and was pleasantly surprised when Mr. Pereira, the Hon. Secretary offered her six dozen dusters woven by the children as their contribution to the War Fund. She graciously accepted it and said they would be very useful.

Then followed the presentation of a handsome bouquet and an address of welcome, which was read out with a fair measure of distinctness by an advanced pupil, Ethel da Costa. An ex-pupil, Miss Fernandes, then presented Her Excellency with a woollen shawl of her own making. Her Excellency, in thanking her, said it would keep her warm. Her Excellency recorded her impressions in the visitors' book as follows:—"I was intensely interested in all I saw, I think the teachers' patience and kindness is wonderful. I wish the pupils all good luck and success in the future."

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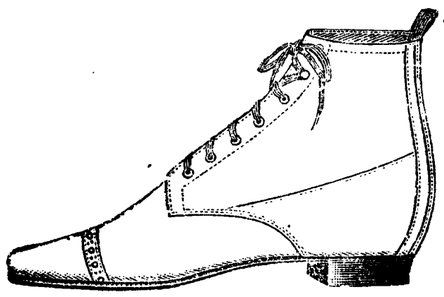

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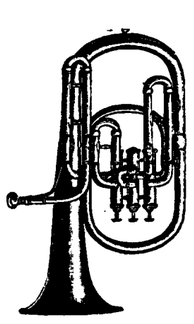

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